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Mason, Janice L (GOV) I/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]

Sent:

Monday, April 07, 2008 10:46 AM

To:

Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: RE; Beginning today...

I do not know what this is about?? Janice

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 10:24 AM

To: Wilken, Jessica M (GOV)
Cc: Mason, Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Beginning today...

From: connie munro [mailto:cmunro@gci.net]

Sent: Sunday, April 06, 2008 8:43 AM

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Subject: Re: Beginning today...

I thank you so much for pulling this together. You are a professional and giving person. Your name is so respected and we look up to you too. It was a educational and for me a emotional caring time in my life. We have Lorrie too and your mom was dynamite.

Original Message ——

From: Myma Brown

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Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 8:07 AM

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Our Alaska Native Sisterhood Camp 2 sisters have been extremely busy organizing a

Southeast Alaska Native Women's Conference that begins today; \$25 registration – there are limited scholarships! I am forwarding you a copy of the wonderful program for the next three days featuring speakers such as Florence Sheakley, Laird Jones, Ruth Demmert and panel: Alberta Aspen, Corrine Ragu and Micalyn Kunz McGhee, Iva Graywolf, Healing Ceremony, and a number of others. Iva will be speaking about suicide prevention. Hopefully our local Native organizations will allow interested staff to participate in this conference and support our local ANS Camp 2.

The theme for the conference speaks for itself, "Making a Difference: Knowledge of Our Mothers keeping our Culture alive". The conference pays tribute in many different and creative ways; something you don't want to miss out on! Please see the various forms that come with the packet.

If you know of any person who would be interested in attending this conference please share the news; we need community support. There is a welcome dinner planned this evening; we are going to cook: Grilled King Salmon, Roast Pork, rice, buttered corn, salad and a dinner roll. Dessert too! Come and visit; bring those special people in your life; grandmother, mom; tell your family! Let's make a difference together.

From: McBride, Rhonda (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=RMFAUBION]

Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 6:34 PM

To: 'Sarah Palin'

Subject: Aniak Traditional Council

A quick note. Had an e-mail updating AST's efforts to promote better community relations in Aniak. Col. Audie Holloway forwarded an e-mail from Lt. Craig MacDonald in Bethel about a cross cultural communications training session held today. Two Aniak Traditional Council members attended and seemed pleased with the content.

Sounds like some progress is being made – and that your troopers are trying hard to meet Aniak half way. Col. Holloway and I have talked about visiting Aniak sometime this spring to do a follow-up visit.

Thanks.

Rhonda McBride Rural Affairs Advisor Office of the Governor Atwood Building, Suite 1700 550 West 7th Avenue Anchorage, Alaska 99501

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GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=SWLEIGHOW]

Sent:

Monday, April 07, 2008 6:07 PM

To:

'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'

Subject: Andrew Halcro

Governor-

Andrew Halcro is filling in for Mike Pocaro tomorrow and invited you on the show. I told him that it was very busy with the end of session in sight – but I would ask! I think I know the answer!

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Judy Mason [jmason@thrha.org] Monday, April 07, 2008 8:17 AM

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Palin; Sarah H (GOV); Vicki Soboleff; Diane Carrier

Subject:

I'm back from my extended vacation in Hawaii and back to work at THRHA. I just logged on my email for the first time and was pleased to receive the notice for the Southeast Women's Conference (sorry I missed it). Sounds like another successful event. Keep me on your email list. I'll be in touch. Judy

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for others. ANS must be proud of sister Sarah Lampe, Grand Camp Sargent At

Arms who made a trip over to help and who also brought the seal meat

everyone enjoyed Saturday! I acknowledge President Micalyn Kunz McGhee and

her sister Nelly who were very much a part of this picture; they are true

inspiration of what ANS is all about. Thank you Connie for your continued

respect and for checking on items that needed to be done; you and Emma really shined. I truly love my mom and after hearing her speak will make

more time for this wonderful lady so she can expect visits from me. I am

glad she is up front and personal; you learn from the best. Last but

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Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 5:18 PM

To: Sarah Palin

Cc: Nizich; Michael A (GOV); Ruaro; Randall P (GOV)

Subject: FW: heads up

Governor -- FYI - Email from Commissioner Schmidt. Thanks, Janice

From: Schmidt, Joseph D (DOC) Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 5:02 PM

To: Mason, Janice L (GOV)

Subject: heads up

Hello Governor.

Sorry to bring this to you when you are so busy, but you should have a heads-up. Our correctional Officer union ACOA is rearing up again. They have orchestrated a "vote of no confidence" against me over two primary concerns. First, reductions in staffing and second, employee discipline. They have been in and talked to Randy and Mike Nizich. Their main complaint to Randy and Mike was that they couldn't get a meeting with me, so the next day we offered a meeting. They responded that they have no interest in meeting with me and they would meet with Nizich any time he wanted to talk. They suggested the 23rd because they are going to tally the votes on the 21st, and they intimated that they may call the media after the count. By now you have seen the letter I sent to all staff today and it clearly dispels the reduction in staffing notion. As far as discipline, last year was one of reform. 49 internal investigations, 26 of which resulted in discipline and 4 ended in termination. (Additionally, 2 more quit in lieu of termination, and 2 quit during investigations for their own reasons). Our reports of misconduct slowed in October and we have no new investigations pending now. Even though things are relatively quiet now, the union made their threats in the thick of things last year and they can't un-ring the bell. We've worked closely with Admin throughout and we feel confident that our actions are justified and I believe our message is received. The business of human confinement is not conducive to unsafe worksite practices. To this end, our response will be centered around the fact that we are proud to stand with the professionals who had faith in us and reported unsafe worksite acts. I just heard that Mike and Randy will be available to brief you further so I don't have to make this e mail any longer. I've sent Janice my schedule for the next couple of weeks, my time is yours if you'd like to see me.

Thanx Governor

Joe

From: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

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This got kicked back to me - resending

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Monday, April 07, 2008 12:09 PM

To: Subject: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) FW: Email - FYI

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To: Castle, Lillian K (GOV)

Cc: Mason, Janice L (GOV)

Subject: FW: Other

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]

Sent: Sunday, April 06, 2008 10:54 PM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Other

Web mail from: Marjorie menzi

address: 6000 Thane Road Juneau AK 99803

907-586-1714

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Palin,

My husband, Bill Heumann, and I appreciated meeting you at Tom Stewart's Celebration of Life. I thought you might be interested in the Alaska History & Cultural Studies course we have developed for HS students at www.akhistorycourse.org. The web site was developed with a grant from the US Dept. of Ed throughSen Stevens' office to the AK Humanities Forum.

Best wishes on your upcoming "blessed event."

Warm regards,

Marjorie Menzi

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Carrier

Bill Martin Cc:

Subject: Re: Acknowledgement; thank you ANS Camp 21

Our supporting members are just as important as the active ones. We read the list often and knowing 144 sisters (a and a few brothers) respect the organization enough to pay dues and come to the special activities. And, a job is one of the sisters values too and is the reason we ha the topic on the first session. Thank you for your words. Connie Munro

- Original Message -

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Maureen

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Cc: Bill Martin

Subject: Acknowledgement; thank you ANS Camp 2!

I am extremely fortunate to have been able to be part of this women's conference and was could not have done it without the following: Diane Carrier, Sarah Lampe, my brother William, my sister Laura Sheldon and Myrna Foster. These people are continually stepping forward to make things happen for others. ANS must be proud of sister Sarah Lampe, Grand Camp Sargent At Arms who made a trip over to help and who also brought the seal meat that everyone enjoyed Saturday! I acknowledge President Micalyn Kunz McGhee and her sister Nelly who were very much a part of this picture; they are true inspiration of what ANS is all about. Thank you Connie for your continued respect and for checking on items that needed to be done; you and Emma really shined. I truly love my mom and after hearing her

speak will make more time for this wonderful lady so she can expect visits from me. I am glad she is up front and personal; you learn from the best. Last but certainly not least I would like to personally acknowledge President Martin; it is a blessing to be working under his leadership. His genuine concern and support for Elders, youth, family, ANB/ANS and Southeast Native Veterans shows his commitment in making our organization a good one.

I apologize for not making it in Saturday but had 9 grandchildren I was caring for. Our day ended after the free swim for them after 8 PM.

I want to take this time and remind everyone that the last Native Issues Forum is scheduled for April 9th; Senator Kookesh and Representative Bill Thomas. MC Ron Williams. Our menu plans include entree items of Roast w/gravy, stuffing, mashed potatoes, cream style corn, spaghetti w/sauteed onions, green peppers and celery, buttered dinner roll. Dessert: Cake w/strawberry filling. Pork noodles, bac-o salad, macaroni salad, fruit salad and hopefully fresh herring egg salad if it arrives in time from Sitka (donated by Central Council). Thank you!

From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]

Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 10:46 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: RE: Beginning today...

I do not know what this is about?? Janice

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 10:24 AM

To: Wilken, Jessica M (GOV)
Cc: Mason, Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Beginning today...

From: connie munro [mailto:cmunro@gci.net]

Sent: Sunday, April 06, 2008 8:43 AM

To: Myrna Brown; nicole.hallingstad@sealaska.com; Ella Bennett; Thea Brown; kate.kokotovich@sealaska.com; gary.droubay@goldbelt.com; angel.culp@goldbelt.com; norman.flood@goldbelt.com; Kathy Miller; peter@kootznoowoo.com; amalia.monreal@searhc.org; Andrew Ebona; Alfred McKinley, Sr.; Donnelly, Bernice M (EED); bobloescher@gci.net; Brad Fleutsch; bethel@gci.net; Chris McNeil; carolee.martin@searhc.org; dcadiente@gci.net; Brown, Darrell (HAL); Don Bremner; Corpuz, Elena (DOA); Ethel Lund; Gomez, Shelly (HSS); gastineau_eagles@jsd.k12.ak.us; Ishmael Hope; jfjll; Judy Mason; Kolvig, Keitha J (ACS); Maureen Brown; Michele Metz; Miller, Mary E (DOL); makookesh@hotmail.com; memartin@gci.net; marietta.hopkins@sealaska.com; Norman Sarabia; Percy Martin; pexendine@gci.net; Jackson, Patsy A; Ronald Williams; Ruaro, Randall P (GOV); Renee Culp; Sue Ann Lindoff; Palin, Sarah H (GOV); Vicki Soboleff; Diane Carrier

Subject: Re: Beginning today...

I thank you so much for pulling this together. You are a professional and giving person. Your name is so respected and we look up to you too. It was a educational and for me a emotional caring time in my life. We have Lorrie too and your mom was dynamite.

---- Original Message -----

From: Myrna Brown

To: Myrna Brown; nicole.hallingstad@sealaska.com; Ella Bennett; Thea Brown; kate.kokotovich@sealaska.com; gary.droubay@goldbelt.com; angel.culp@goldbelt.com; norman.flood@goldbelt.com; Kathy Miller; peter@kootznoowoo.com; amalia.monreal@searhc.org; Andrew Ebona; Alfred McKinley. Sr.; bernice_donnelly@eed_state.ak.us; bobloescher@gci.net; Brad Fleutsch; bethel@gci.net; Connie Munro; Chris McNeil; carolee.martin@searhc.org; dcadiente@gci.net; Brown. Darrell (HAL); Don Bremner; Corpuz, Elena (DOA); Ethel Lund; Gomez, Shelly (HSS); gastineau_eagles@jsd.k12.ak.us; Ishmael Hope; jfjil; Judy Mason; kkolvig@courts.state.ak.us; Maureen Brown; Michele Metz; Miller, Mary E (DOL); makookesh@hotmail.com; memartin@gci.net; marietta.hopkins@sealaska.com; Norman Sarabia; Percy Martin; pexendine@gci.net; Jackson, Patsy A; Ronald Williams; Ruaro, Randall P (GOV); Renee Cuip; Sue Ann Lindoff; sarah.palin@alaska.gov; Vicki Soboleff; Diane Carrier

Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 8:07 AM

Subject: Beginning today...

Our Alaska Native Sisterhood Camp 2 sisters have been extremely busy organizing a

Southeast Alaska Native Women's Conference that begins today; \$25 registration – there are limited scholarships! I am forwarding you a copy of the wonderful program for the next three days featuring speakers such as Florence Sheakley, Laird Jones, Ruth Demmert and panel: Alberta Aspen, Corrine Ragu and Micalyn Kunz McGhee, Iva Graywolf, Healing Ceremony, and a number of others. Iva will be speaking about suicide prevention. Hopefully our local Native organizations will allow interested staff to participate in this conference and support our local ANS Camp 2.

The theme for the conference speaks for itself, "Making a Difference: Knowledge of Our Mothers keeping our Culture alive". The conference pays tribute in many different and creative ways; something you don't want to miss out on! Please see the various forms that come with the packet.

If you know of any person who would be interested in attending this conference please share the news; we need community support. There is a welcome dinner planned this evening; we are going to cook: Grilled King Salmon, Roast Pork, rice, buttered corn, salad and a dinner roll. Dessert too! Come and visit; bring those special people in your life; grandmother, mom; tell your family! Let's make a difference together.

From: Rowland, Mindy B (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=MBROWLAND]

Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 8:04 PM

To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'

Cc: Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV)

Subject: SB 59 Gaming/Cabbage Classics...

Hi Governor.

I just had a conversation with Rep. Stoltze to find out his reasons for voting against the charitable gaming bill that is now before you for consideration. He stressed that his no vote was "a soft no" and that he had a number of reasons for doing so. He shared that he had sponsored an amendment that had been added to the bill in House Finance that would have prohibited the currently allowed practice of selling raffle tickets for campaigns. The Senate rejected this change and the bill was then sent to a conference committee. He fought to stall action because he felt strongly about this provision and that raffles should only be for charity. In deference to his friend, Rep. Johansen, chair of the conference committee, and at the request of Sen. Stevens, he said he finally relented and allowed for the provision to be removed from the bill. He admitted this provision had nothing to do with the bill itself, and that he voted against the bill because he was a little mad that he lost this battle.

He told me he was also upset with the AK Broadcasters Assn for their lack of support for other legislation he had been working on.

His vote, and according to him, the no votes of many other legislators, were protest votes rather than votes against charitable gaming. He surmised that other no votes (he didn't name anyone) were to project consistency with their efforts to pass a constitutional amendment against gaming.

Meanwhile today, Russ spoke with Rep. Dahlstrom to get her input. He felt she was pretty adamant that the bill should be vetoed.

Rep. Stoltze told me that the bill has many good aspects. The provision to allow radio advertising would apply to raffles only. The intent is that pull tabs and bingos could not be advertised. He envisions that the local hardware store, at the end of their radio ad would say "and come on in to buy a raffle ticket to support the Alaska High School skipping team." (My words not Bill's) In his opinion, the increase in payout limits from \$1 to \$2 million is inconsequential because most of the payouts are trips and services that don't have a tangible cash value per se.

So here are the options:

You can veto the bill, in which case a transmittal letter will be needed to explain your reasons; You can allow the bill to become law without your signature, in which case a transmittal letter will be needed to explain your reasons; or

You can sign the bill quietly and no letter of explanation will be necessary.

Action of some sort on this bill is required by Monday, April 14.

Let me know if you have any questions or if there is additional information I can provide.

Thanks Mindy

Mindy Rowland Deputy Legislative Director Office of Governor Sarah Palin 465-4021

From:

Ruaro, Randall P (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=RPRUARO]

Sent:

Monday, April 07, 2008 6:31 PM

To:

'Sarah Palin'

Subject: Resume for Jim Beedle - AMHS Deputy Commissioner / Open item in conference committee on

operating budget

Governor:

I gave Janice a hard copy of Jim Beedle's resume. Privileged or Personal Material Redacted Privileged or Personal Mater

The House and Senate conference committees are meeting on the operating budget and have left as "open" for now the budget item for funding the AMHS Deputy Commissioner position. (The House deleted funding, the Senate approved funding Privileged or Personal Material Redacted Privileged or Personal N

Randy

From:

Perry, Kristina Y (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

GRÓUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=KYPERRY]

Sent:

Monday, April 07, 2008 7:46 PM

To: Cc: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'; Nizich; Michael A (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)

Mason; Janice L (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Hughes; Rosanne (GOV sponsored);

Balash; Joseph R (GOV); Bailey; Frank T (GOV)
Letter follow-up

Subject:

Janice and I have continued to research this and she has now found that the letter was rec'd in March and forwarded to Joe since it had something to do w/gas pipeline hire. I spoke w/Joe and he said he asked Jessica to forward to scheduling and B and C since it touched more on those. He's not sure of the status of that forward and will check w/Jessica tomorrow. Unfortunately Janice could not (initially) find it in the tracking system which is what I firmly relayed to Dr. Green. I was - albeit professional - ticked.

Janice will get a copy for you tomorrow.

All that being said and aside from the communication issue, we have worked with these folks: attending the African American Summit, Dan is a member of NAACP; they are reaching out and I know they've made some recent appointments. I met with Mayfield today and told him that we'd have staff at their upcoming scholarship meeting and he didn't even give me a heads up about this.

From:

Balash, Joseph R (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JRBALASH)

Sent:

Monday, April 07, 2008 7:33 PM

To: Rutherford; Marty K (DNR

Rutherford; Marty K (DNR); Galvin; Patrick S (DOR); Irwin; Tom E (DNR); Thompson; Nan G (DNR); Banks; Kevin R (DNR); Scott; Antony G (DNR); Gibson; Kurtis K (DNR); Laing; Ian M (DOR); 'dfauske@AHFC.state.AK.us'; 'bbutcher@ahfc.state.ak.us'; Anders; Bruce F (DNR);

'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'; Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Davis; Marcia R (DOR)

Subject:

Fw: Rumor: Two major oil companies to make an announcement tomorrow, Tuesday

I pass this on solely as rumor...

---- Original Message -----

From: Christopher Clark <cgcalaska@yahoo.com>

To: Balash, Joseph R (GOV); Rowland, Mindy B (GOV); Kelly, Russell T (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)

Sent: Mon Apr 07 19:30:04 2008

Subject: Rumor: Two major oil companies to make an announcement tomorrow, Tuesday

Just in case you hadn't heard this already ... rumor ...

Two major oil companies will hold a press conference in Anchorage tomorrow, Tuesday, to make an announcement.

Company officials will be in the capitol later that day to answer questions and give more details.

From:

gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Sent:

Monday, April 07, 2008 6:59 PM

To: Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Nizich; Michael A (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV) Mason; Janice L (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV)

Subject:

Re: Minority coalition meeting

What are they talking about? They supposedly sent ME a letter that wasn't responded to? I'm clueless on this one...

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

----Original Message----

From: "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Date: Mon, 07 Apr 2008 18:45:31

To:gov.sarah@yahoo.com, "Nizich, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.nizich@alaska.gov>, "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Mason, Janice L (GOV) " <janice.mason@alaska.gov>, "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV) "
<sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>, "Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored) " <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>

Subject: FW: Minority coalition meeting

Just learned this afternoon via Angelina's email below that the Alaska Black Leadership Conference is holding a press conf regarding communication with the administration. I called my friend, Pastor Davis, and he told me that he heard it is tomorrow.

I called Mayfield and have spoke with him a number of times now. He told me it is about a letter that the Alaska Black Leadership Conference sent a month ago and he referred me to Dr. Green. Janice couldn't find it in CTS and I called Dr. Green with Janice conferenced in. I was pretty adamant and firm with Dr. Green; letting him know that he could have and should have picked up the phone and called me to find out the status of the letter rather than hold a press conference. He said they sent it return receipt and that it was signed for. They also copied legislators and the congressional delegation. I told him that we didn't have a record and I have never seen it.

We're still researching receipt of the letter and have requested that he fax a copy with the return receipt. He told me he'd call me in the morning which was encouraging. I'm hoping that after our conversation, they'll change their mind but...

I'm wondering if you want to meet with them again upon your return to Anchorage; I can let them know and maybe put this off. I'm sure it is along the same lines of the previous meeting; however I'll know more once I receive the letter.

From: Burney, Angelina (CED)

Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 4:52 PM

To: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)

Subject: Minority coalition meeting

Good afternoon Kris:

I received a call today from a friend of mine who attended a Minority Task Force Coalition meeting last Friday. She called to let me know that there were some members of the African American community who were there that stated that they were going to be staging a press conference sometime soon taking the Governor to task for not having more minorities in her Administration.

I know this very same issue had come up in the beginning of the Administration but I thought you should be aware that there were rumblings once again. I did not attend this meeting myself, so this is all second hand, but I thought I would give you a heads up just in case.

Thanks, have a good evening!

Angelina

From:

gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Sent:

Monday, April 07, 2008 3:44 PM

To:

Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Rehfeld; Karen J (GOV); Frank Bailey; Frye; Ivy J (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Hughes; Rosanne D

Subject:

Energy Rebate

Another priority I forgot to mention to ktuu is Thomas' \$500 rebate from surplus... Sounds like his bill is the last one left with any breath and I'd like to see it adopted this session- it's more fair than the income-based bill(s) introduced by others.

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

----Original Message----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Mon, 7 Apr 2008 21:29:44

To: "Russ Kelly" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>, "Mike Tibbles" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "Karen Rehfeld" <karen.rehfeld@alaska.gov>, "Frank Bailey" <ftb907@yahoo.com>, "Ivy Frye" <ivy.frye@alaska.gov>, "Kris Perry" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>, "Sharon Leighow" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>, "Rosanne Hughes" <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>

Subject: Ktuu

Is it safe to say Stedman has still not shown us everything in his multi-million dollar spending bill that the House is adding on to... or have they released the item list but I just haven't seen it yet?

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

From:

Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent: To: Subject: Monday, April 07, 2008 3:11 PM 'saramichellebags@yahoo.com' RE: Military_and_Veterans_Affairs

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

----Original Message----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]

Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 4:04 PM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Military_and_Veterans_Affairs

Web mail from: Ms. Sara Cockeraham

address: 3319 Wells Circle Anchorage AK 99508

907-360-6979

MESSAGE:

Bill SJR 11 was sent to you on March 21st and it is very important that you show your support for our military men and women who served and serve our country. Please sign and press on with the bill titled: Supporting federal funding for veterans' health care and urging the United States Congress to ensure adequate funding for veterans' health care.

My brother, his wife and my sister and her husband thank you. My family thanks you.

saramichellebags@yahoo.com

From:

Kelly, Russell T (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=RTKELLY]

Sent:

Monday, April 07, 2008 2:20 PM

To:

'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'; Frye; Ivy J (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Hughes; Rosanne D

(GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); 'ftb907@yahoo.com'

Subject:

Re: Channel 2 - One week left to go story

I met w/Rosanne and corrected the info from this e-mail. She was going to talk with you right away.

---- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

To: Frye, Ivy J (DOA); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored); Kelly, Russell T (GOV); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Frank Bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com>

Sent: Mon Apr 07 14:17:57 2008

Subject: Re: Channel 2 - One week left to go story

Thanks ivy- just in time, too!

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

----Original Message----

From: "Frye, Ivy J (DOA)" <ivy.frye@alaska.gov>

Date: Mon, 07 Apr 2008 13:36:10

To:ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>, "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>, "Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored)" <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>, "Kelly, Russell T (GOV)" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>, "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>,Frank Bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com>

Subject: RE: Channel 2 - One week left to go story

As of this morning, there are 119 bills stalled in Senate Finance. Of those 119, 14 bills or roughly 10% are bills sponsored by Governor Palin.

1) Of note, HB 111 Business License Fee Reduction has been stalled in (S) FIN for nearly a year--since May of 2007. Commissioner Notti has talked to Sen Stedman personally on this bill and Stedman's response was his agenda was full and he wouldn't be hearing the bill.

When Gov. Palin served as mayor and manager of Alaska's fastest growing city she reduced the real property tax six years straight, reduced and eventually eliminated the personal property tax, and eliminated the small business inventory tax and the business license renewal fee in the City of Wasilla. The governor continues to find ways to reduce and eliminate burdensome taxes, and protect Alaskans.

The full list of other governor's bills in (S) FIN include:

- 2) CON Repeal -- Perhaps most important, Gov. Palin's Alaska Health Care Transparency Act proposes to provide affordable and quality health-care services for all Alaskans. By eliminating CON we allow competition, increase choice, and manage rising costs in health care services provided in Alaska. The public is behind the governor in this effort; legislators should listen to their constituents on this matter.
- 3) G.O Bond for the crime lab-the current lab is inadequate to efficiently process evidence. The new crime lab with serve every PD and AST detachment in the state for processing evidence for the next 40 yrs. This request is in line with Gov Palin's commitment to providing essential public safety services laid out in Article 1 of the State Constitution.
- 4) G.O Bonds for transportation projects--this means Dalton Hwy, Parks Hwy, Seward highway will not be improved, among others.
- 5) Crime Omnibus bill-- this bill strengthens the Alaska criminal code including increasing penalties for domestic violence and prosecuting cases within the State that have already been prosecuted federally including prosecution of public officials.

Divestment from investments in Sudan

- 6%7) The House and Senate version of the nonunion public employee salary increase are also pending hearing.
- 8) Alcohol Penalties and Local Option--this bill increases penalties for liquor license holders that sell alcohol to minors. Also increases penalties for bootleggers who break the local option by bringing alcohol into dry communities.
- 9) Low-income housing/homelessness--this bill creates a fund to address the needs of Alaska's homelessness and allows assistance to supply affordable housing for our less privledged. This bill passed out of Sen Fin today!
- 10) Natl Guard--allows the governor to delegate to the adjutant general the authority to call up the natl guard, and allows DNR to call on the natl guard to fight fires and pay them at a range equivalent to emergency firefighters.
- 11) Teachers/Hith Care professionals loan--this bill has been in S FIN since February. This bill would repeal the sunset provision and would make the program permanent within

AHFC and expands the program to allow more health care professionals to take advantage of housing loans--it's a way to address the severe shortage of health care professionals in our state. Since 2003, 373 teachers and nurses have mortgaged their homes at no additional cost to AHFC or the State.

- 12) Transportation Fund
- 13) Operating budget
- 14) mental health budget

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 12:48 PM

To: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored); Kelly, Russell T (GOV); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Frye, Ivy J (DOA); Frank Bailey

Subject: Re: Channel 2 - One week left to go story

I'll do it- pls let me know what the status of many of these issues would be. I'm asking Frank and ivy to run them down for me also because they're very passionate about getting things done this final week of session. I am asking them to assist, as the call went out to commissioners last week to also assist in pressuring lawmakers to do the right thing and progress bills and budgets. It's my decision to request their assistance.

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From: "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

Date: Mon, 07 Apr 2008 11:06:41

To:gov.sarah@yahoo.com, "Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored) "
<rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>, "Kelly, Russell T (GOV) " <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>, "Tibbles,
Michael A (GOV) " <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>

Subject: FW: Channel 2 - One week left to go story

This got kicked back to me - resending

From: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)

Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 10:02 AM

To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'; Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored); Kelly, Russell T (GOV);

Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)

Subject: Channel 2 - One week left to go story

All,

Bill McAllister is working on a "one week to go" story -what is done - what is left - what won't get done etc. This seems like a perfect opportunity to talk about Stedman holding bills, the predator control bill and lack of movement on the CON. Thoughts?

Sharon Leighow

Deputy Press Secretary

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(907) 269-7450 Anchorage

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 2:54 PM

To: jerry mccutcheon

Subject: RE: Your UAA veto, thank you

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

From: jerry mccutcheon [mailto:susitnahydronow@yahoo.com]

Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 1:38 PM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Cc: Dyson, Fred (LAA); Bunde, Con (LAA); Cowdery, John (LAA); Ellis, Johnny (LAA); Wielechowski, Bill

(LAA); McGuire, Lesil L (LAA); Davis, Bettye J (LAA); Green, Lyda N (LAA); French, Hollis (LAA)

Subject: Your UAA veto, thank you

Governor Palin,

Thank you for vetoing the million dollars for a UAA sports arena last year. Your vote prompted substantial changes, but there no reason to believe they are any better, and it did not answer my questions. Why wasn't there a competition among the Architecture students for sighting and renderings of the proposed new sports arena. No school of Architecture?

Well, isn't a school of Architecture more important than a new sports arena? The UAA has done very well this season in national basketball rankings without a <u>new</u> sports arena. Second, why isn't there a College of Petroleum Engineer at the UAA? The oil companies are all headquartered in Anchorage; there should be a school of pertroleum enginerring in Anchorage. Governor Palin, why do those who want pursue petroleum engineering or geology have to go to Fairbanks? When one attends the local SPE meetings, one always hears the engineers complaining about having been "volunteered" by the oil companies to go to Fairbanks to teach a class or two.

Why shouldn't the College of Petroleum Engineering in Anchorage be one of the finest in the Nation? The UAF's school of mining engineering was in top 5 in the Nation in Territorial days, now the UAF has closed it. Guess there is no mining in Alaska! Why does the incompetent UAF run the UAA?

It is not too hard to put together a College of Petroleum Engineering when one knows from where to assemble the some of top talent who can recruit the others. Isn't a top-flight College of Petroleum Engineering of more importance to the UAA and Alaska than another sports arena for the UAA. Shouldn't first things come first?

Why cannot the UAA be allowed to have graduate classes so that the UAA is able to award advanced degrees? The unwillingness of the UAF to allow the UAA to award advance degrees costs the UAA, Anchorage and Alaska several hundred million dollars a year in research grants; why is that allowed to happen? Isn't allowing the UAA to participate research and the additional hundreds of millions of dollars it will bring to the UAA, Anchorage and Alaska more

important than a new sports arena?

Thank you for your attention, your humble constituent, Jerry McCutcheon

You rock. That's why Blockbuster's offering you one month of Blockbuster Total Access, No Cost.

From:

gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Sent:

Monday, April 07, 2008 2:19 PM

To:

Mason; Janice L (GOV)

Subject:

Fw: Ktuu

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

----Original Message----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Mon, 7 Apr 2008 22:17:22

To: "Russ Kelly" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>, "Mike Tibbles" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "Karen Rehfeld" <karen.rehfeld@alaska.gov>,"Frank Bailey" <ftb907@yahoo.com>,"Ivy Frye" <ivy.frye@alaska.gov>,"Kris Perry" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>,"Sharon Leighow" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>,"Rosanne Hughes" <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Todd" <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>

Subject: Re: Ktuu

Russ- I want to approve the list of bill signing invitees before these folks are actually invited. Thanks.

Also- still haven't heard updates on bills' status. I'll try to follow on-line, and I'll retrieve info from the bills Frank is following, but I still need status report before more press inquiries pour in to Sharon and Rosanne.

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

----Original Message----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Mon, 7 Apr 2008 21:29:44

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To:

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Frye; Ivy J (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Hughes; Rosanne D

(GOV)

Cc: Subject:

Todd Re: Ktuu

Russ- I want to approve the list of bill signing invitees before these folks are actually invited. Thanks.

Also- still haven't heard updates on bills' status. I'll try to follow on-line, and I'll retrieve info from the bills Frank is following, but I still need status report before more press inquiries pour in to Sharon and Rosanne.

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Subject:

Re: Channel 2 - One week left to go story

Thanks ivy- just in time, too!

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----Original Message----

From: "Frye, Ivy J (DOA)" <ivy.frye@alaska.gov>

Date: Mon, 07 Apr 2008 13:36:10

To:ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>, "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>, "Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored)" <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>, "Kelly, Russell T (GOV)" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>, "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>,Frank Bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com>

Subject: RE: Channel 2 - One week left to go story

As of this morning, there are 119 bills stalled in Senate Finance. Of those 119, 14 bills or roughly 10% are bills sponsored by Governor Palin.

1) Of note, HB 111 Business License Fee Reduction has been stalled in (S) FIN for nearly a year--since May of 2007. Commissioner Notti has talked to Sen Stedman personally on this bill and Stedman's response was his agenda was full and he wouldn't be hearing the bill.

When Gov. Palin served as mayor and manager of Alaska's fastest growing city she reduced the real property tax six years straight, reduced and eventually eliminated the personal property tax, and eliminated the small business inventory tax and the business license renewal fee in the City of Wasilla. The governor continues to find ways to reduce and eliminate burdensome taxes, and protect Alaskans.

The full list of other governor's bills in (S) FIN include:

2) CON Repeal -- Perhaps most important, Gov. Palin's Alaska Health Care Transparency Act proposes to provide affordable and quality health-care services for all Alaskans. By eliminating CON we allow competition, increase choice, and manage rising costs in health care services provided in Alaska. The public is behind the governor in this effort; legislators should listen to their constituents on this matter.

- 3) G.O Bond for the crime lab--the current lab is inadequate to efficiently process evidence. The new crime lab with serve every PD and AST detachment in the state for processing evidence for the next 40 yrs. This request is in line with Gov Palin's commitment to providing essential public safety services laid out in Article 1 of the State Constitution.
- 4) G.O Bonds for transportation projects--this means Dalton Hwy, Parks Hwy, Seward highway will not be improved, among others.
- 5) Crime Omnibus bill-- this bill strengthens the Alaska criminal code including increasing penalties for domestic violence and prosecuting cases within the State that have already been prosecuted federally including prosecution of public officials.

Divestment from investments in Sudan

- 6&7) The House and Senate version of the nonunion public employee salary increase are also pending hearing.
- 8) Alcohol Penalties and Local Option--this bill increases penalties for liquor license holders that sell alcohol to minors. Also increases penalties for bootleggers who break the local option by bringing alcohol into dry communities.
- 9) Low-income housing/homelessness--this bill creates a fund to address the needs of Alaska's homelessness and allows assistance to supply affordable housing for our less privledged. This bill passed out of Sen Fin today!
- 10) Natl Guard--allows the governor to delegate to the adjutant general the authority to call up the natl guard, and allows DNR to call on the natl guard to fight fires and pay them at a range equivalent to emergency firefighters.
- 11) Teachers/Hith Care professionals loan--this bill has been in S FIN since February. This bill would repeal the sunset provision and would make the program permanent within AHFC and expands the program to allow more health care professionals to take advantage of housing loans--it's a way to address the severe shortage of health care professionals in our state. Since 2003, 373 teachers and nurses have mortgaged their homes at no additional cost to AHFC or the State.
- 12) Transportation Fund
- 13) Operating budget
- 14) mental health budget

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From:

gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Sent:

Monday, April 07, 2008 1:24 PM

To: Subject: Ruaro; Randall P (GOV) Re: Airline Negotiations

Thank you. Do you have Beedle's resume?

-----Original Message-----

From: Randy Ruaro

To: Governor Sarah Palin

Sent: Apr 7, 2008 10:54 AM

Subject: RE: Airline Negotiations

Thanks Governor.

Also, I spoke with Leo yesterday and he and Frank are meeting with Christine today on the issues with the negotiations to get her input. They are hopeful the next round of meetings this week will result in an agreement.

Randy

Also, on the Senator Elton letter regarding AMHS, we should have a response out tomorrow. We need to politely correct a few assumptions Senator Elton made in his letter (It was a MEBA union employee who made the mistake) and further explain what occurred and what steps have been taken to make sure USCG inspections of vessels are properly handled. AMHS is negotiating with MEBA now to get the job duties associated with USCG inspections back to management.

Mike Tibbles will probably also be touching base with you about permission to hire Jim Beedle as the new Deputy Commissioner for AMHS. As I recall his resume, Jim has about 33 years of experience with AMHS. (17 years as a purser, 3-4 years as head of operations, and the last year or so as the special assistant for AMHS)

Randy

From: Sarah Palin [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Sunday, April 06, 2008 4:10 PM

To: Ruaro, Randall P (GOV)

Subject: Fw: Airline Negotiations

fyi

--- On Thu, 4/3/08, Von Scheben, Leo (DOT) <leo.vonscheben@alaska.gov> wrote:

From: Von Scheben, Leo (DOT) <leo.vonscheben@alaska.gov>

Subject: Airline Negotiations

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Cc: "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>

Date: Thursday, April 3, 2008, 3:22 PM

Governor,

Randy Ruaro briefed me on the discussions about airline negotiations and personnel issues. Deputy Commissioner Klein is an asset to DOT&PF. I have generally discussed the negotiations and issues with her since she joined the department in February. Moving forward, I will step up her involvement and seek further input and comments as we continue the negotiations. My goal is to get the best possible result for the state and fair terms for all the airlines.

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On negotiations with the airlines, I have personally spent countless hours for the last several months working on the issues with Deputy Commissioner Richards. We have been able to reach agreement on many of the terms with the airlines. There are a few key open items we are still working on. These negotiations are particularly hard because the financial interests of the airlines at the table are directly opposite of some of the airlines not interests of the airlines at the table are directly opposite of some of the airlines not at the table. For example, Alaska Airlines wants air cargo carriers who do not use the passenger terminals to pay tens of millions of dollars over the next 23 years for passenger terminal improvements. Alaska Airlines and the other AAAC members became upset with DOT when we disclosed this information to all the other airlines. I strongly feel it would have been unfair to withhold that information. We will continue to be open with information to all airlines that are affected by these negotiations.

I will change our negotiating strategy and relieve some of the pressure on Alaska Airlines and the other members of the AAAC to reach an agreement at our negotiating session later this month.

I will not declare negotiations at an impasse or send a final and best offer to all the individual airlines to review and sign until after you and the chief-of-staff have been fully briefed.

I might add, I believe the next negotiations with the AAAC is going to give me an indication of the AAAC seriousness about coming to agreement and concluding the negotiations. We have been at this two (2) years plus and I feel it is time to conclude these negotiations.

Governor, I assure you that I will continue to be very involved and working hard to negotiate the best possible terms for the state and fair terms for all the airlines.

If you would like to discuss these issues further, please call me. I am available at your convenience.

Leo

From:

gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Sent:

Monday, April 07, 2008 1:11 PM

To:

Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Ivy personal; Frank Bailey; K Perry Yahoo

Subject: Kt

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 2:53 PM

To: jerry mccutcheon

Subject: RE: Anchorage dock veto, thank you

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From: jerry mccutcheon [mailto:susitnahydronow@yahoo.com]

Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 2:16 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Cc: Kookesh, Albert (LAA); Stedman, Bert K (LAA); Huggins, Charlie (LAA); Olson, Donny (LAA); Dyson, Fred (LAA); Stevens, Gary L (LAA); Bunde, Con (LAA); Cowdery, John (LAA); Ellis, Johnny (LAA); Elton, Kim S (LAA); Hoffman, Lyman F (LAA); Wagoner, Tom (LAA); Wielechowski, Bill (LAA); Thomas, Joe (LAA); McGuire, Lesil L (LAA); Davis, Bettye J (LAA); Green, Lyda N (LAA); Therriault, Gene (LAA); Wilken, Gary R (LAA); French, Hollis (LAA); bbragg@adn.com; castlemountaincoalition@yahoo.com; bmcallister@ktuu.com; csb@kbyr.com; greg.johnson@frontiersman.com; cleofus1@hotmail.com; drepasky@ibew1547.org; ebluemink@adn.com; editor@alaskajournal.com; abramstedt@ktuu.com; jackfrost@alaska.com; elvi@alaska.net; bluestate@kudo1080.com; rich@kudo1080.com; val baffone address

Subject: Anchorage dock veto, thank you

Governor your veto of the Anchorage dock bonds was more than justified. I question Mayor Begich, at one of his block parties just after he was first elected, about his advocacy of the new dock. I asked Begich just exactly what he was going to put across the new dock that could not be handled by the old dock because Begich had told the press that all kinds of new things were to use the new dock and that was one of the reasons for new dock. Begich admitted nothing.

Begich then stated the reason for the new dock was because of the new container ships required a larger dock and new cranes. So I went away placated. About 3 months latter there was a short article in the Anchorage News about the largest of the new containerships had just docked at the old dock. So I called the Captain of the new container ship and question him extensively about any difficulties he had docking or unloading. None what so ever! Begich simply lied to the press then lied to me.

Then there was a discussion on the radio about the dock falling apart during an earthquake as stated by local well-established major engineering firm. The person defending the dock said that was not true because one the cells would survive the earthquake. I thought, for only one portion of the dock to survive when we need all the dock space possible after an earthquake, is nuts!

Now, it is coming out that the users of dock, container ships, did not want the new dock nor the new cranes for the new ship are designed for roll on roll of off loading and unloading and not cranes.

Governor. I think the Anchorage dock requires more than a veto; I think it requires a grand jury investigation not because a crime has been committed but an old fashion grand jury like we use to have that investigated things and publish reports.

Again, thank you for your veto of the Anchorage port bonds

The Dock cartoon should have been labeled Begich's Boondoggle or better Another Begich Boondoggle.

You rock. That's why Blockbuster's offering you one month of Blockbuster Total Access, No Cost.

From:

Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent:

Monday, April 07, 2008 11:13 AM Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)

To:

Mason; Janice L (GOV)

Cc: Subject:

FW: Other

----Original Message----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]

Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 7:05 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Mary Ann Greco

address: 45 Ocean Ave. Monmouth Beach NJ 07750

732-229-5491

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Palin:

Please help!

We need openness and honesty in the White House. Please! Please help in the Honesty Campaign for the White House!

All scholars and great leaders use virtue to balance the human condition. It works. The beauty of virtue is its universality and rooted in all religions.

To dismiss a corrupt activity as "disappointed" is amazing to me. How can we not see what is going on here? We can't have a double-standard in the White House? How can we have people in our government so indifferent to moral behavior and no value for virtue?

Any assistance is greatly appreciated.

Respectfully,

Mary Ann Greco

seashoresl@verizon.net

From:

Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent:

Monday, April 07, 2008 10:47 AM

To:

'mpstjohn@mtaonline.net'

Subject:

RE: Budget

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Sent: Sunday, April 06, 2008 6:29 PM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Budget

Web mail from: Patricia St. John

address: po box 4706 Palmer AK 99645

907-745-2053

MESSAGE:

Governor Palin,

As a voter, I wanted to say thank you. You are keeping intergrity in politics. Both my husband and I like the way you held your ground on the spending requests last week. We both like the fact that you held meetings with our state officials, listening and taking the time to understand their financial requests. I believe you do you have the best interests of Alaskans. Again, thank you.

Patricia St John

mpstjohn@mtaonline.net

From:

Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent: To:

Monday, April 07, 2008 10:42 AM

'williamsrv@mtaonline.net'

Subject:

RE: Transportation

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Sent: Sunday, April 06, 2008 4:14 PM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Transportation

Web mail from: Theresa Williams

address: 17736 North Eagle River Loop Rd Eagle River AK 99577

907 694-3429

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor,

We watched with interest and applauded your scalpel work in vetoing portions of the supplemental appropriations bill.

There is another area where your oversight is needed and that is the intention of DOT to double the footprint of Eagle River Loop Rd. in Eagle River.

Nummerous meetings have been held and the public testimony strongly supports limiting the scope of improvements by having only one bike trail beside part of the road and none at all in the extremely steep portion. In addition the residents are in favor of a lower speed limit on Eagle River Loop Road. After initial hearings DOT agreed at one point that only one bike trail was needed. (These hearings dragged on for over a year).

Later however, DOT reverted to the same plan they started with: a sidewalk/bike trail on BOTH sides of the road from the intersection of Eagle River Loop with the Eagle River Valley Road to the intersection with the Old Glenn. It would not seem to be cost effective to build something extra that the residents don't want and that will require additional maintenance throughout the years.

(Please not: It is probable that even one bike trail may be lightly used since part of the road is extremely steep. Two bike trails are frivolous.

Unlike DOT, Senator Fred Dyson listened to the concerns of the residents and placed limiting language on the appropriations bill when it went through in order to limit the size of the imprint of the roadway. It is our understanding that the Attorney General's Office has advised DOT they can ignore those restrictions. Even if the Attorney General's opinion is correct and DOT can ignore the language, shoul they?

It is our belief they should not. They should heed the language inserted by Senator Dyson and to that end we are asking you to intervene.

Thank you for taking the time in your busy schedule to look at this matter.

Theresa and Roy Williams

PS: Even if some of the money for the project is coming from the Federal Government, it is still taxpayer money.

williamsrv@mtaonline.net

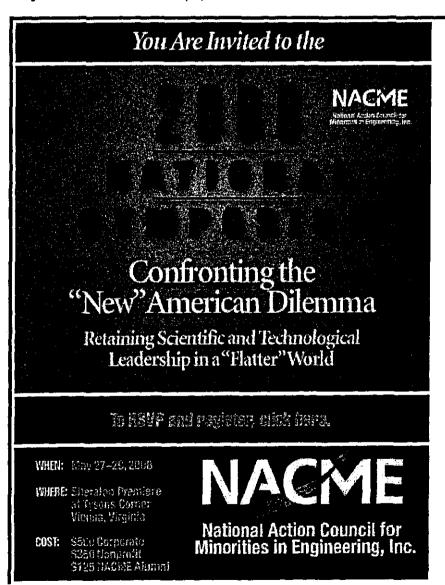
From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 11:20 AM

To: Smith; Lynne M (GOV)

Subject: FW: 2008 NACME National Symposium

From: NACME [mailto:enews@nacme.org]
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 10:16 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: 2008 NACME National Symposium



The relative absence of minorities, women, and persons with disabilities in scientific and engineering study and careers is the new" American dilemma. Not unlike America's societal dilemma, as postulated by Gunnar Myrdal more than sixty years ago, his new dilemma comes from our nation's failure to educate and develop a growing proportion of its potential talent base while is need for people with skills in science and engineering is escalating.

Please join top leaders from corporations, foundations, academia, and the government for enlightening and comprehensive fiscussions concerning America's capabilities—now and for the future—in the science, technology, engineering, and nathematics (STEM) disciplines.

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 11:15 AM

To: Smith; Lynne M (GOV)

Subject: FW: "Navigating the New World Trade Winds", Ralph R. Peterson, Chairman and CEO, CH2M HILL

Companies

From: Gil Cisneros [mailto:gil@chamberoftheamericas.com]

Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 8:20 AM

To: *****Gil Cisneros

Subject: "Navigating the New World Trade Winds", Ralph R. Peterson, Chairman and CEO, CH2M HILL

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Gil,

The speech by Ralph Peterson is attached.

Feel free to re-send it to anyone else.

Thanks.

Francisco

From:

Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov] Monday, April 07, 2008 10:18 AM

Sent: To:

Monday, April 07, 2008 10:18 AM 'john.teeter@acsalaska.net'

Subject:

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Sent: Sunday, April 06, 2008 8:48 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Budget

Web mail from: Mr. John Teeter

address: 411 Rhonda St. Fairbanks AK 99712

907-488-3259

MESSAGE:

I want you to know I STRONGLY approve of the way you are handling the Budget! Those vetoed projects have NO business in the Supplemental Budget and should be considered in the Capital Budget if they are needed at all.

This overall budget is getting WAY OUT OF HAND!! This State can NOT afford to maintain all these projects after we build them. I am afraid we are going to be in for a REAL shock in a few years and will have to have numerous taxes to keep the State going. The citizens cannot afford taxes when we are struggling with the High Cost of Home Heating Oil, High Electrical Bills, Much higher Food cost etc. I am a retired person who would very much like to live out my life in this State if I can, I see the State getting all this Oil money from individuals like me and then spending it on climbing walls etc. What a waste!!!

I am for Progress, but it makes me wonder the wisdom of our legislators when I see them in such a RUSH to spend all this money. They all have an EGO Problem as far as I am concerned. You are the ONLY ONE there in Juneau with a sense of mind.

Thank You for fighting the battles of the budget while trying to put Alaskans First. You are the only one who is doing that.

Sincerely,

John F. Teeter

411 Rhonda St.

Fairbanks, AK 99712

john.teeter@acsalaska.net

From: Sent: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent: To: Monday, April 07, 2008 10:17 AM

To: Subject: 'sailjclc@comcast.com' RE: Oil&,Gas

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To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Oil&Gas

Web mail from: LC Campbell

address: 29427 19th. Av. So. Federal way WA 98003

253.529.0439

MESSAGE:

Dear Govener,

I have heard about you and your belief in Transparency and honesty in government through my brother who lives in AK on a recent visit. I applaud you efforts and guts to stand up for what's right. There is so much wrong with government and most of it is big money influence.

I know I'm not native of AK but I REALLY admire you--THANKS

sailjelc@comcast.com

From:

Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]

Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 8:01 PM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Budget

Web mail from: Mr. Leroy Cabana

address: po box 49 Homer AK 99603

907-399-1287

MESSAGE:

Governor Palin,

I read on a daliy bases the disagreement between you and our legislators in Juneau concerning overspending. I encourage you to stand your ground, by trying to add unnecessary spending to the state budget and justifiying this simply because the oil tax revenue is flowing freely is poor judgement. When any government body gets carried away with spending that cannot be justified this leads to a government for more government as opposed to government for the people. You are the first Alaskan governor since Jay Hammond that is keeping sight of the will of the general public.

Thanks for your service

Leroy L Cabana

llcabana@yahoo.com

From: John Katz [jwkatz@ALASKADC.org]

Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 10:25 AM

To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)

Cc: Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Persily; Larry A (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y

(GOV)

Subject: Arctic Parliamentarians/letter of Invitation

Senator Murkowski's office asked me to send you the attached invitation and agenda for the August meeting in Fairbanks of the Arctic Parliamentarians.

As you will note, the Parliamentarians would like the Governor to give the welcoming remarks on August 12th. The agenda describes a number of interesting issues that will be considered during the meeting.

When convenient, please let me know whether the Governor will participate.

Please note that my email address has changed. My new email address is jwkatz@alaskadc.org. Thank you .

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 11:14 AM

To: Smith; Lynne M (GOV)

Subject: FW: Education Working Paper Archive: New Papers

From: Department of Education Reform [mailto:edreform@uark.edu]

Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 7:56 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

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Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 10:38 AM

To: Cayce; Sunny C (GOV)

Subject: FW: No bear hunting for kids in unit 16

From: Cliff Judkins [mailto:cjudkins@mtaonline.net]

Sent: Sunday, April 06, 2008 12:05 PM

To: aaron bloomquist; Ted Spraker; 'Abed S Radwan'; 'BGabrys@mcc-cpa.com'; 'bill noll'; rfithian@alaskaprohunter.org; 'bobcuey'; 'Bruce Gabrys'; 'Bruce Knowles'; 'Chris Cyphers'; 'curt dunham'; 'denall ac marty caress'; golson@growmoremoose.org; 'Ken mat-su ac Federico'; 'kenai/s ac gary dawkins'; 'Mat-su AC denny hamann'; 'Paige Banzaf'; 'Rick & Paris Kinmon'; 'Rod Arno'; 'Rod Arno'; 'Ronald Jordan'; 'seldovia Ac keith gain'; 'Seward James McCracken'; 'tim thomas'; 'Tinker'; ticevincent@yahoo.com; 'valleyacsecretary'; 'wayne heimer'
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Subject: Re: No bear hunting for kids in unit 16

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Grussendorf'; Bob Bell; Craig Fleener; Lew Bradley; Dick Burley; Tibbles, Kristy R (DFG)

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Cc: 'adf&g commissioner'; becky.kelleyhouse@alaska.gov;

was taken completely by surprise as the BOG had no such intent. Cliff J.

becky kelleyhouse@fishgame.state.ak.us; 'director of wildlife'; 'Governor@gov.state.ak.us'; 'Ken

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Sent: To: Monday, April 07, 2008 9:24 AM crescent_creek@yahoo.com

Subject:

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Web mail from: Ms. Cheryl Grove

address: P.O. Box 520575 Big Lake AK 99652

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Palin,

Thank you for remaining true to your principles by vetoing projects that seemed to be inappropriately attached to the supplemental budget. I appreciate, respect, and am inspired by your steadfast commitment to safeguarding Alaska's future.

Best Wishes to you and your family.

Namaste`

Cheryl Grove

crescent_creek@yahoo.com

From:

Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov] Monday, April 07, 2008 8:57 AM

Sent: To: Cc:

Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)

Subject:

Mason; Janice L (GOV) FW: Other

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]

Sent: Saturday, April 05, 2008 11:49 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Bill Bartos

address: 60 Daniel P Conte Court Garfield NJ 07026

2015753145

MESSAGE:

John McCain must appoint you, has his VP nominee...

G-D Bless

Bill

williambartos@yahoo.com

From:

Sent:

To:

gov.sarah@yahoo.com Monday, April 07, 2008 8:42 AM Mason; Janice L (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV) Todd

Cc: Subject:

Sched

Tentative: May 24 fairbanks, March of Dimes. Event at Pioneer Park... More info: 276-4111 Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

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To: 'David Stone'
Subject: RE: Yakutat

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Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 5:17 PM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored); Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV); Mason, Janice L (GOV)

Subject: Yakutat

Governor Palin,

I want to thank you for the funding you approved for Yakutat. Also, allowing some of our funding to be put 2009 budget, is appreciated.

Thank you again,

Dave Stone, Mayor

Get in touch in an instant. Get Windows Live Messenger now.

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 9:59 AM

To: Cayce; Sunny C (GOV)

Subject: FW: No bear hunting for kids in unit 16

From: Gary Olson [mailto:golson@growmoremoose.org]

Sent: Friday, April 04, 2008 7:07 PM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored); Nizich, Michael A (GOV)

Subject: FW: No bear hunting for kids in unit 16

Dear Governor Palin.

I would like to weigh in, regarding the below text, to making sure that Residents under 16 years of age are allowed to hunt over bait stations in Unit 16. I have 3 daughters. The two oldest are 10 and 9 and are soon to join their dad in taking black bears over bait in Unit 16. Please assist the Department of Fish & Game in making sure that this is possible for my daughters and many other families who participate in the Alaska Lifestyle that we know you hold as dear as we do.

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Sent:

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To:

Mason; Janice L (GOV)

Cc:

Provost; Kathryn T (GOV)

Subject: FW: hb200 YEAS: 32 NAYS: 3 EXCUSED: 3 ABSENT: 2

From: Jeff briggs [mailto:briggs@alaskapffa.org]

Sent: Saturday, April 05, 2008 11:33 AM

To: Palin, Sarah H (GOV) Cc: Dahlstrom, Nancy (LAA)

Subject: hb200 YEAS: 32 NAYS: 3 EXCUSED: 3 ABSENT: 2

Dear Governor Palin-

I am writing to you requesting your support/assistance on scheduling hb200 to be heard in Senate Finance. The couple of times that we have spoke with you on this bill you have expressed that you would support it. It is a much smaller bill than the original draft. We have worked closely with Representative Dahlstrom and her staff who have been working unremittingly on this legislation.

The 90 day session has us worried, this is our fourth year working this issue and I believe that we have a piece of legislation that has the potential to pass.

We are 1 of only 9 States that don't have some sort of presumptive legislation for Fire Fighters.

I am planning on being in Juneau Monday through Friday next week if you would like to meet with me.

Thank you for your support, and keep up the great work!

Respectfully submitted,

Jeff Briggs

Legislative Director

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907-441-2469



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Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 9:50 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Cc: Ruaro; Randall P (GOV); Von Scheben; Leo (DOT)

Subject: Support for the Lynn Canal Highway

Please see attached letter sent to Governor Palin, urging her to move the Lynn Canal Highway Project forward with funding as quickly as possible.

Thank you.

Cathie Roemmich

"There is Strength in Numbers..."

Cathie D. Roemmich
Chief Executive Officer

Juneau Chamber of Commerce
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Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 8:25 AM

To:

connie munro; Myrna Brown; nicole.hallingstad@sealaska.com; Ella Bennett; Thea Brown; kate.kokotovich@sealaska.com; gary.droubay@goldbelt.com; angel.culp@goldbelt.com; norman.flood@goldbelt.com; Kathy Miller; peter@kootznoowoo.com; amalia.monreal@searhc.org; Andrew Ebona; Al Mckinley; Donnelly; Bernice M (EED); Robert Loescher; Brad Fleutsch; bethel@gci.net; Chris McNeil; carolee.martin@searhc.org; Doloresa Cadiente; Brown; Darrell (HAL); Don Bremner; Corpuz; Elena (DOA); Ethel Lund; Gomez; Shelly (HSS); gastineau_eagles@jsd.k12.ak.us; Ishmael Hope; jfjll; Judy Mason; Kolvig; Keitha J (ACS); Michele Metz; Miller; Mary E (DOL); makookesh@hotmail.com; memartin@gci.net; Marietta Hopkins; Norman Sarabia; Percy Martin; pexendine@gci.net; Jackson; Patsy A; Ronald Williams; Ruaro; Randall P

(GOV); Renee Culp; Sue Ann Lindoff; Palin; Sarah H (GOV); Vicki Soboleff; Diane Carrier

Cc:

Subject: Re: Acknowledgement; thank you ANS Camp 2!

Well Sis.

It's good to know that you could step forward for the ANS it is a wonderful organization. I wish I had more time time to commit but at my age I am lucky to have a good job. It gives me a positive feeling to be able to work with troubled youth. My hours are swing hours and I can't seem to make a meeting anymore but I want you to know that without the teachings of ANS and ANB I would not have anything positive to add to anyones life. My heart still has ANB and ANS engraved on it and one day soon I shall return but for now I am committed to my job. It has always been in my heart to give to others what I have learned and I have learned not only to love and forgive but to laugh and smile too. Good job sister. Maureen

connie munro <cmunro@gci.net> wrote:

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I just emailed you and it came back to thank you Myrna and your family and
THCC and here you did it. I printed it out for Emma and hopefully she can
come to the ANS Meeting tomorrow evening. You are wonderful. Connie
---- Original Message -----
From: "Myrna Brown"
To: "connie munro";;
"Ella Bennett"; "Thea Brown"
; "Kathy Miller";
 ; "Andrew Ebona"
; "Al Mckinley";
"Robert Loescher";
"Brad Fleutsch" : ; "Chris McNeil"
;; "Doloresa
Cadiente"; "Brown, Darrell (HAL)"
; "Don Bremner"; "Corpuz,
Elena (DOA)"; "Ethel Lund";
"Gomez, Shelly (HSS)";
; "Ishmael Hope";
"jfjll"; "Judy Mason";
; "Maureen Brown";
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"Michele Metz"; "Miller, Mary E (DOL)";;;

"Marietta Hopkins"; "Norman Sarabia"; "Percy Martin";
; "Jackson, Patsy A"; "Ronald
Williams"; "Ruaro, Randall P (GOV)";
; "Renee Culp"; "Sue Ann Lindoff"; "Vicki Soboleff";
; "Vicki Soboleff";
Cc: "Bill Martin"
Sent: Sunday, April 06, 2008 9:25 AM
Subject: Acknowledgement; thank you ANS Camp 2!

I am extremely fortunate to have been able to be part of this women's conference and was could not have done it without the following: Diane Carrier, Sarah Lampe, my brother William, my sister Laura Sheldon and Myrna Foster. These people are continually stepping forward to make things happen for others. ANS must be proud of sister Sarah Lampe, Grand Camp Sargent At Arms who made a trip over to help and who also brought the seal meat that everyone enjoyed Saturday! I acknowledge President Micalyn Kunz McGhee and her sister Nelly who were very much a part of this picture; they are true inspiration of what ANS is all about. Thank you Connie for your continued respect and for checking on items that needed to be done; you and Emma really shined. I truly love my mom and after hearing her speak will make more time for this wonderful lady so she can expect visits from me. I am glad she is up front and personal; you learn from the best. Last but certainly not least I would like to personally acknowledge President Martin; it is a blessing to be working under his leadership. His genuine concern and support for Elders, youth, family, ANB/ANS and Southeast Native Veterans shows his commitment in making our organization a good one.

I apologize for not making it in Saturday but had 9 grandchildren I was caring for. Our day ended after the free swim for them after 8 PM.

I want to take this time and remind everyone that the last Native Issues Forum is scheduled for April 9th; Senator Kookesh and Representative Bill Thomas. MC Ron Williams. Our menu plans include entree items of Roast w/gravy, stuffing, mashed potatoes, cream style corn, spaghetti w/sauteed onions, green peppers and celery, buttered dinner roll. Dessert: Cake w/strawberry filling. Pork noodles, bac-o salad, macaroni salad, fruit salad and hopefully fresh herring egg salad if it arrives in time from Sitka (donated by Central Council). Thank you!

Thank you. Maureen Brown You rock. That's why Blockbuster's offering you one month of Blockbuster Total Access, No Cost.

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 11:16 AM

To: Smith; Lynne M (GOV)

Subject: FW: Don't Miss the Women of Color Symposium in May!

From: Sharon Hadary [mailto:symposium@stovellmarketingpr.com]

Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 8:39 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Don't Miss the Women of Color Symposium in May!



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Byers, Gail Y (LAW)

From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]

Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 1:39 PM

To: Colberg; Talis J (LAW); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); McBride; Rhonda (GOV)

Cc: Sarah Palin

Subject: State Seal Task Force

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Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 1:35 PM

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Subject: Scan

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REPRESENTATIVE JOHN COGHILL, CHAIRMAN

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Date: April 7, 2008

To: Tam Cook, Legal Counsel

From: Rynnieva Moss, Legislative Aide

Re: State Seal Task Force

Establishing a task force to make recommendations regarding a new design for the official seal of the State of Alaska.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:

WHEREAS the official scal of the state was designed in 1910 by federal and territorial officials long, forty-nine years before Alaska became the forty-ninth state; and

WHEREAS the seal should represent modern Alaska and its diverse peoples and abundance of natural resources; and

WHEREAS the seal should include recognition of the many Native outtures of Alaska;

WHEREAS, the seal could be redesigned through a process that involves many different segments of the population, including school children, the state's historical library, the Alaska State Council on the Arts, the Alaska Historical Commission, the Alaska Native Heritage Center, and the Pioneers of Alaska;

BE IT RESOLVED that the Alaska State Legislature establishes in the legislative branch the Task Force on the State Seal whose mission is to gather input from the citizens of Alaska about what the official state seal should look like and to make recommendations to the legislature about a proposed new design for a new official seal for the State of Alaska; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that the presiding officers of Alaska State House and the Alaska State Senate shall appoint two members of each body to the task force; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that the Governor is respectfully requested to appoint a member to the task force; and be it

FURTER RESOLVED that the presiding officers to jointly appoint a member of the task force to represent the Alaska Heritage Center and a member to represent the Pioneers of Alaska; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that the task force may begin its work immediately upon appointment of four of the seven members specified in this resolution, may select a chair from among its members, may meet between sessions of the legislature, may solicit ideas for the state seal in a manner considered appropriate by the task force, and shall report its recommendations as to a proposed new official state seal to the legislature by the first day of the First Regular Session; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that the Legislative Council shall provide reasonably necessary administrative services to the task force upon request of the task force; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that the members of the task force are entitled to reimbursement of travel costs associated with attending meetings of the task force; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that the task force established under this resolution is terminated on the last day of the First Regular Session of the Twenty-Sixth Alaska State Legislature.

From: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=SWLEIGHOW]

Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 11:44 AM

To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'

Cc: Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Bailey; Frank T (GOV)

Subject: Eddie Burke

Governor-

Eddie Burke would like to know if you have 10 minutes for him this afternoon. His show is from 2-5. Please let me know.

Sharon Leighow Deputy Press Secretary Deputy Communications Director

(907) 269-7450 Anchorage (907) 465-4031 Juneau (907) 240-7943 cell

From: Kreitzer, Annette E (DOA) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=AEKREITZER]

Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 6:05 PM

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Cc: Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)
Subject: PSEA Contract Done

Governor:

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Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 9:33 AM

To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'

Subject: death penalty

Dear Governor Palin,

In light of Rep. Chenault's death penalty bill the question has to arise, what is our policy with regard to the death penalty? Are we for or against it? Talis

From:

McBride, Rhonda (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=RMFAUBION]

Sent:

Tuesday, April 08, 2008 2:00 PM

To:

'Sarah Palin'; 'kristina.perry@alaska.gov'

Subject: Byron Mallott

Reached Byron Mallott by e-mail. He says he would try to make himself available to help with incorporating Alaska Native culture in a seal re-design.

Rhodna

Rhonda McBride Rural Affairs Advisor Office of the Governor Atwood Building, Suite 1700 550 West 7th Avenue Anchorage, Alaska 99501

Tel: (907) 269-7451

E-Mail: Rhonda.McBride@alaska.gov

From:

Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=RHUGHES]

Sent:

Tuesday, April 08, 2008 6:32 PM

To:

'gov.palin@yahoo.com'; 'Ivy personal'; 'Frank Bailey'; Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); 'K Perry

Yahoo'; 'Todd'

Subject:

RE: Lisa KTUU

Wow, what a great way to end the day! :)

Rosanne Hughes

Press Secretary and Communications Director

465-3995

----Original Message----

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Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 6:19 PM

To: Ivy personal; Frank Bailey; Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored);

K Perry Yahoo; Todd

Subject: Re: Lisa KTUU

By the grace of God!

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From: Ivy personal

To: Frank Bailey

To: Sarah's Personal Email

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To: rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov

To: K Perry Yahoo

To: Todd

ReplyTo: Ivy personal

Sent: Apr 8, 2008 5:07 PM

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Nice strong supportive statement by Lisa!

Sent via BlackBerry by AT&T

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Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 3:10 PM

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Cc: Kelly; Russell T (GOV)

Subject: SB 125

Governor:

It appears SB 125 is due to be signed today or become law without your signature. I had hoped that Gina Ragle from Law and the folks in our Division of Retirement & Benefits could be present when you signed it. I don't know if that's still possible, but if it is, please let me know and I would gather them and send them your way. Thank you for your consideration.

From:

Balash, Joseph R (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JRBALASH]

Sent:

Tuesday, April 08, 2008 7:47 AM

To:

Balash; Joseph R (GOV); Rutherford; Marty K (DNR); Galvin; Patrick S (DOR); Irwin; Tom E (DNR); Thompson; Nan G (DNR); Banks; Kevin R (DNR); Scott; Antony G (DNR); Gibson;

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'bbutcher@ahfc.state.ak.us'; Anders; Bruce F (DNR); 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'; Tibbles;

Michael A (GOV); Davis; Marcia R (DOR)

Subject:

RE: Rumor: Two major oil companies to make an announcement tomorrow, Tuesday

Word out of DC has it as BP and Conoco going ahead with the pipeline project. It's third-hand, but the person I spoke to said that the announcement will be that they are going ahead on their own without the State. When I asked whether it's a commitment to build or just a commitment to spend additional funds, they demurred.

Also, it sounds like the congressional delegation is going to take the credit...

----Original Message----

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Sharon W (GOV)

Sent: Mon Apr 07 19:30:04 2008

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GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]

Sent:

Tuesday, April 08, 2008 2:31 PM

To:

Sarah Palin

Subject: FW: State Seal Task Force

Comments from AG - Janice

From: Colberg, Talis J (LAW)

Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 2:09 PM

To: Mason, Janice L (GOV)

Subject: RE: State Seal Task Force

Dear Janice,

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krisandclark@yahoo.com

Sent:

Tuesday, April 08, 2008 7:02 PM Hughes; Rosanne (GOV sponsored)

To: Cc:

gov.palin@yahoo.com; ivyfrye@yahoo.com; ftb907@yahoo.com; Leighow; Sharon W (GOV);

fek9wnr@yahoo.com

Subject:

RE: RE: Lisa KTUU

It was incredibly positive coverage! And unless I missed it, nothing on the other press conference. Thank you Jesus!!

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- > Nice strong supportive statement by Lisa!
- >
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http://tc.deals.yahoo.com/tc/blockbuster/text5.com

From:

Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent:

Tuesday, April 08, 2008 4:21 PM

To: Subject: jmacinak@alaska.net RE: Oil&Gas

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]

Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 4:29 PM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Oil& Gas

Web mail from: Mr. John McDowell

address: PO box 91861 Anchorage AK 99509

MESSAGE:

Governor Sarah. I remember back when I was still working,.. and a real good friend of mine named Don Graber, told me that you might make a real good governor. Now me being a Jay Hammond democrat most all my adult life, and you being a republican, ..well I had to think about what Don said. When you did run against the previous governor, and after listening to you, and learning about you, well I joined the rest of most of the folks in Alaska and voted for you. I'm glad I did. I know they are too. You have done more for this state than anyone else since Jay Hammond. I hope you realize what you have helped accomplish for Alaska. I think you do. I just want to thank you for myself, and future generations of Alaskans, for your faith in Alaska and it's people. You have carved your name into Alaskan history... and I'm so glad to have been here as it unfolds. History is being made. Again Sarah,.. thank you.

jmacinak@alaska.net

From:

PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=SRPARNELL1]

Sent:

Tuesday, April 08, 2008 1:57 PM

To:

'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'

Subject:

Re: State Seal

I'm with ya, no problem.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

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Cc: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored); Kelly, Russell T (GOV); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored)

Sent: Tue Apr 08 13:12:15 2008

Subject: State Seal

Joule and Coghill will introduce resoultion to support changing state seal to incorporate Native illustration... and they'll work on a task force to accomplish this with Talis being our designee to serve on the task force - they asked us to have a positive message about their efforts. This is all about respect, recognition, unity. It's all good.

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

From:

Sent:

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Cc:

Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV); Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Tibbles;

Michael A (GOV); PARNELL; S (GOV sponsored) State Seal

Subject:

Joule and Coghill will introduce resoultion to support changing state seal to incorporate

Native illustration... and they'll work on a task force to accomplish this with Talis being our designee to serve on the task force - they asked us to have a positive message about their efforts. This is all about respect, recognition, unity. It's all good.

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

From:

gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Sent:

Tuesday, April 08, 2008 12:06 PM

To:

Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Frank Bailey; Ivy personal; Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Hughes;

Rosanne D (GOV)

Cc: Subject: McBride; Rhonda (GOV) Re: Seal and preamble

Thank you guys!!!

-----Original Message-----

From: Kris Perry

To: Governor Sarah Palin

To: Frank Bailey

To: Ivy personal

To: Sharon Leighow

To: Rosanne Hughes

Cc: Rhonda (GOV) McBride

Sent: Apr 8, 2008 10:52 AM

Subject: RE: Seal and preamble

Rhonda, we have our statehood celebration meeting Thursday at 1:30 pm. We can brainstorm before and I'd love for you to attend. This is huge!

----Original Message----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 10:49 AM

To: Frank Bailey; Ivy personal; Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored)

Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); McBride, Rhonda (GOV)

Subject: Fw: Seal and preamble

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Cc: "Mike Tibbles" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>

Subject: Re: Seal and preamble

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From:

gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Sent:

Tuesday, April 08, 2008 11:51 AM

To: Subject: Colberg; Talis J (LAW) Re: death penalty

Well I'm for it if an innocent child is tortured and killed... but I was very surprised at how "out of the blue" the issue seemed to be yesterday in committee.

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----Original Message----

From: "Colberg, Talis J (LAW)" <talis.colberg@alaska.gov>

Date: Tue, 08 Apr 2008 09:32:34

To:gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: death penalty

Dear Governor Palin,

In light of Rep. Chenault's death penalty bill the question has to arise, what is our policy with regard to the death penalty? Are we for or against it? Talis

From:

Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent:

Tuesday, April 08, 2008 11:11 AM bjscoresby@mtaonline.net

To: Subject:

RE: Natural Resources

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

----Original Message----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]

Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 11:35 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Natural Resources

Web mail from: Bryan Scoresby

address: PO Box 952 Palmer AK 99645

907-746-6521

MESSAGE:

I heard on the news that Cliff Judkins of the Board of Game wants to protect the wildlife on the Tangle Lakes area near Paxton. In reading the news article about it I wonder who we are protecting the wildlife from. Ultimately, the protection is from people. This is already being done by the BLM and the State of AK by limiting access into these areas.

I use this area every fall for my annual moose hunt. I suggest that the area is alread adequalty "protected" and access is already limited beyond reason. Please resist any efforts to close these areas to sportsman. In fact, I feel it would betters serve the citezens to open more of these areas to offroad use.

Sincerely,

Bryan J. Scoresby

bjscoresby@mtaonline.net

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Cc: "Mike Tibbles" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>

Subject: Re: Seal and preamble

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From: "Colberg, Talis J (LAW)" <talis.colberg@alaska.gov>

Date: Mon, 07 Apr 2008 12:18:54

To:gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Cc: "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>

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Dear Governor Palin,	
I spoke with Mr. Barnhill and then he sent the attached email.	
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Talis	 -
	
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From: Barnhill, Michael A (LAW)	
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 12:11 PM	
To: Colberg, Talis J (LAW)	
Subject: RE: Seal and preamble	
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Subject: FW: Seal and preamble

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Hope this helps.
Mike B.
From: Colberg, Talis J (LAW)
Sent: Sunday, April 06, 2008 6:52 PM
To: Barnhill, Michael A (LAW)
Subject: Seal and preamble
Dear Mr. Barnhill,
This is for tomorrow, not today (Sunday).
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T hegitate to even send

Let me know your thoughts (I know you have a blackberry and I hesitate to even send this to you for fear you will try to do something tonight) after today. Thanks Talis

From:

Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent: To: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 9:46 AM Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)

Cc:

Mason; Janice L (GOV)

Subject:

FW: Other

----Original Message----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]

Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 10:48 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Andy Kirkpatrick

address: 1994 Bear Creek Dr. Ontario NY 14519

585-726-2858

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Palin,

Thank you very much for taking the time to send me your autographed photo, I love it. I don't hear your named mentioned much anymore about you and a Sen. McCain ticket, but I do keep my fingers crossed!

Thanks again!

Yours truly,

Andy Kirkpatrick

akirkker@yahoo.com

From: Schmidt, Joseph D (DOC) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JDSCHMIDT]

Sent:

Tuesday, April 08, 2008 2:13 PM

To:

gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: RE: heads up

Thank you Governor, you are the best boss a person could have, thank for the support. We'll continue to do what we know is right and make you proud!

Joe

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Tue 4/8/2008 11:26 AM To: Schmidt, Joseph D (DOC) Subject: Fw: heads up

You're doing an amazing job Joe- and we were just talking about you on the third floor, how much we've appreciated your patience and tolerance for the political shenanigans that go on in Juneau during the session. I've got your back. I support you 100-percent and I don't want you worrying about anything. Mike or you or whomever can brief me more fully on any details here, but please know you have the full Administration's full support. If you want to talk on the phone tomorrow I can have Janice schedule time for that. Hang in there!

-----Original Message-----

From: Janice Mason To: Governor Sarah Palin

Cc: M Nizich Cc: Randy Ruaro

Sent: Apr 7, 2008 5:18 PM Subject: FW: heads up

Governor - FYI - Email from Commissioner Schmidt. Thanks, Janice

From: Schmidt, Joseph D (DOC)
Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 5:02 PM
To: Mason, Janice L (GOV)
Subject: heads up

Hello Governor,

Sorry to bring this to you when you are so busy, but you should have a heads-up. Our correctional Officer union ACOA is rearing up again. They have orchestrated a "vote of no confidence" against me over two primary concerns. First, reductions in staffing and second, employee discipline. They have been in and talked to Randy and Mike Nizich. Their main complaint to Randy and Mike was that they couldn't get a meeting with me, so the next day we offered a meeting. They responded that they have no interest in meeting with me and they would meet with Nizich any time he wanted to talk. They suggested the 23rd because they are going to tally the votes on the 21st, and they intimated that they may call the media after the count. By now you have seen the letter I sent to all staff today and it clearly dispels the reduction in staffing notion. As far as discipline, last year was one of reform. 49 internal investigations, 26 of which resulted in discipline and 4 ended in termination. (Additionally, 2 more quit in lieu of termination, and 2 quit during investigations for their own reasons). Our reports of misconduct slowed in October and we have no new investigations pending now. Even though things are relatively quiet now, the union made their threats in the

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From:

lvy Frye [ivyfrye@yahoo.com]

Sent:

Tuesday, April 08, 2008 9:53 AM

To:

Sarah Palin; Todd Palin; Frank Bailey; Kris Perry; jurtis.gibson@alaska.gov; Anders; Bruce F (DNR);

Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)

Subject: AGIA

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One of the few House members to vote against the resolution, Minority Leader Beth Kerttula, D-Juneau, charged Monday that some lawmakers were using the resolution to try to derail the AGIA process.

"I've seen a lot of aspersions and demagoguery and confusion and subterfuge used in the last week," she said at a news conference. "My protest vote was to say, 'We're not going to let this get derailed' - at least I'm not going to."

Kerttula refused to give names but said later she thought there were lawmakers who wanted the AGIA process to fail and were using the resolution as a "smokescreen." She said she was concerned lawmakers would put all the focus on a smaller line and then say they couldn't go ahead with the TransCanada line.

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From:

Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent:

Tuesday, April 08, 2008 8:53 AM 'timmy_joanna@yahoo.com'

To: Subject:

RE: Other

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

----Original Message----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]

Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 10:33 PM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Other

Web mail from: Joanne Casqueira

address: 1200 E Holland Ave. Wasilla AK 99654

(907) 376-0299

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Palin,

My name is Joanne Casqueira, I've lived in Ak for almost 30 years. I raised 4 children in the small town of Big Lake.

Now my youngest Alexander (20 years old) is a proud member of the U.S. Marine Corp. He has already been to Iraq once and is being sent back again, we are all very proud of him!

Unfortunaly, he call me today from Camp Pennelton to see if I could start some sort of "Fund-raising" for him and his troops.

He told me they do not have the proper equipment to fight and stay alive. This broke my heart, so I started calling every buisness in Wasilla asking for their help, Wal-Mart, Fred Meyers, H&R Block, Sears even the Geat Alaska Pizza Company.

Most seem willing to help.

I have set up a account for Alex and his troop through a company based in Ca. called "Combact Ready" in San Clemente.Ca. (949)276-2333, Travis Box or Collin Owens are in charge.Please, if you can help me, help all the young men and women who fight for us and would die for us while asking nothing in return I would be forever grateful. As Alaskan's we need to join together to make sure these brave soldiers have EXACTLY what they need to do their job, that WE sent them there to do. Please Governor Palin, just take one moment to call Travis Box or Collin Owens @ (949)276-2333 and they can tell what and why OUR children need Alaskans to pull together and help.

How sad my son a "Lance Corporal" of the U.S.M.C. had to call his Mother for help, for proper "gear"

Thank-You Joanne Casqueira

timmy_joanna@yahoo.com

From:

gov.palin@yahoo.com

Sent: To: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 7:13 AM Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)

Subject:

Travel and First Family living expenses

Sharon- pls see note to Ivy in this email re: Juneau Empire story today. We've been really trying to reign in living expenses to try to set an example for other depts - glad Pat F picked up at least on the travel expenses... there's a lot more to illustrate the committment to doing things different, better, more economically in our admin. Ivy and I had recently been discussing this... if it's something AP or ADN follows up on after Pat's story, I'd be happy to talk to reporters about it. Not to be self-serving, but to show how we believe every little bit will help - everything adds up.

----Original Message----

From: gov.palin@yahoo.com

Date: Tue, 8 Apr 2008 15:02:47

To: "Kris Perry" < kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Subject: Bues cheese

If the new cheese manufacturer wants us to do anything with them to help kick off their venture(if you think it's a good idea), pls ket Kyle know we can come cut a ribbon or something when session ends. Does Franci support this venture? Kristan?

Ivy- there's a good Juneau E article about travel costs plummeting since we got elected. If AP elaborates on it we can point out othere reductions in costs/living expensives like travel, security detail, housing expenses (the state doesn't rent an Anchorage apartment anymore), food and entertainment, etc. Just an idea for Quinn to show we're trying to reign it in.

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 9:24 AM

To: Smith; Lynne M (GOV)

Subject: FW: Weekly: The Paulson Blueprint

From: membership@uschamber.com [mailto:membership@uschamber.com]

Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 8:44 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Weekly: The Paulson Blueprint

View this online.

April 8, 2008





The Paulson Blueprint

By Tom Donohue

Treasury Secretary Henry Paulson recently announced a sweeping plan to overhaul the rules and structures governing our financial markets. Many of the Secretary's recommendations were based on ideas the U.S. Chamber and others have suggested.

Secretary Paulson deserves great credit for moving the debate forward by proposing a thoughtful and comprehensive plan to modernize and streamline the financial regulatory structure. Current U.S. financial services regulation is a patchwork of federal and state regulatory authorities with overlapping jurisdiction, inconsistent rules, and a hodgepodge of regulatory philosophies. As new financial services, products, and instruments have emerged, government has failed to adapt to changing times and is stuck in a system designed for the economy of the 1930s.

Join the conversation.

Lights, Camera, Action!

Chamber Partners with National Geographic on Groundbreaking Film The movie, Illicit: The Dark Trade, begins airing on PBS on April 16 (check your local listings) and is based on Dr. Moisés Naim's best-selling book Illicit, which links IP theft to other illicit activities around the world, including arms and human trafficking, terrorism, child labor, and drug trade. The global value of this "dark trade" is estimated to be as much as \$3 trillion and accounts for as much as 10% of the world's trade.

Watch the trailer.

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--Chamber Executive Director of Small and Mid-Market Business Councils Giovanni Coratolo quo CongressDally on April 2 on a b proposal to increase reporting o businesses' credit card sales an other forms of electronic payme Here are a few of the exclusive stories appearing on our Web site this week. Visit <u>uschambermagazine.com</u> for the very latest news, updates, and special features.

Chamber Members Meet With President on Economic Stimulus
U.S. Chamber members told the president on April 7 that they will be able to buy more equipment and invest in more technology thanks to the Chamber-backed Economic Stimulus Act of 2008. Chamber small- and mid-sized business members from the Boston, Minneapolis, Dallas, and Washington, D.C. areas met with President Bush at the White House, and provided him with specific anecdotes of how the plan will stimulate their businesses.

<u>Future of Airline Industry Discussed at Chamber Summit</u>
The heads of two U.S. airlines clashed over whether the industry should consolidate to counter soaring costs and stiffer competition during separate speeches at the U.S. Chamber of Commerce's annual aviation summit on April 3.

ILR Fights Plaintiffs' Bar Efforts to Remove Arbitration Option
The Chamber's Institute for Legal Reform (ILR) released two reports last
week illustrating the widespread public support for the use of arbitration over
litigation in consumer and employee disputes.

Opportunity

Ask the Experts

With six months to go in the elections, everyone is focused on the question: How will health care reform impact small and medium businesses?

On April 16, in conjunction with America's Small Business Summit, the Chamber's Council on Small Business will host a live Web cast featuring Humphrey Taylor, chairman of the Hams Poll, and often-quoted expert and author on health care reform. Mr. Taylor will be joined by representatives from each of the three presidential candidates, and together they will provide insight on the health care landscape, proposed changes, and how they might impact your business.

The panelists will be answering questions--and that is where you come in. If you have a question on how the candidates' health care proposals may affect your business, you can send it to us in three ways:

- 1. Post your question in a comment.
- E-mail the question or the link to a YouTube video question to webmaster@uschamber.com.
- Call in with your question to 202-887-3439.

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Event
National Healthcare Decisions Day

Set for April 16
The U.S. Chamber, along with other national, state and community organizations, is leading a massive effort to highlight the importance of advance healthcare decision-making. National Healthcare Decisions Day on April 16 is an effort to encourage discussion among families, friends and loved ones about the need for advance directives regarding medical treatments

The Chamber encourages its members to talk to their employees about making their medical wishes known in advance and take advantage of the resources available on the web to establish advance directives

Learn more about the effort online.

Writers: Sheryll Poe, Giovanni Coratolo

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 9:04 AM

To: Spencer; Kari L (GOV)

Subject: FW: Alaska Conservation Alliance Revised Comments on SB221 as Ammended by Senate

From: Sue Ely [mailto:suzie.ely@gmail.com]

Sent: Monday, April 07, 2008 4:18 PM

To: Mike Chenault; Kevin Meyer

Cc: Bill Stoltze; Richard Foster; Mike Hawker; Mike Kelly; Bill Thomas, Jr.; Harry Crawford; Les Gara; Reggie Joule; Mary Nelson; Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored); Kelly, Russell T (GOV); Ruaro,

Randall P (GOV)

Subject: Alaska Conservation Alliance Revised Comments on SB221 as Ammended by Senate

To:

From: Anders, Bruce F (DNR) [bruce.anders@alaska.gov]

Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 7:59 AM

Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); 'gov.palin@yahoo.com'; 'ivyfrye@yahoo.com'; 'krisandclark@yahoo.com';

'ftb907@yahoo.com'

Cc: Gibson; Kurtis K (DNR)

Subject: RE: AGIA "PR"

Cockerham should be ashamed. I do not know how he learned about it.

His first foul was was an implication that we are cherry-picking out of state. "The contract for "AGIA communications consultant services" is not being publicly bid." The DNR procurement officer (not me) researched in-state firms and sent notifications to the top three, as well as one out-of-state firm.

His second foul is to try to spin negatively our need for yet another consultant to add to the slew of them we already have. Here is the last email I sent him, on 4/3, after he indicated to me that he thought it sounded like we were hiring a "PR firm":

"Sean,

A "PR firm" is hired to actually spread information, widely, to the public to gain public awareness, to promote a story. By contrast, a "communications consultant" would provide <u>us</u> expertise and guidance on who and how to <u>alert media outlets</u> about a story (should there be one), to give media the opportunity to pick up the story if it is compelling, whereupon the story is carried under its own momentum; the latter does not contemplate the need for anybody to "push" the story, but rather to alert media to the existence of the story, allowing them to decide <u>whether</u> to pursue it. This distinction is very important, since we are not interested in paying anybody to advertize or promote our Findings decisions to the public."

Third, he failed to pick up on a point I was clear and emppatic about, which is that we are only doing this because when Kurt and I travel around the country, it has been shocking to us how little people know about our project, and what it could do for America. Clearly, I told him, we need an expert to help us reach media who can help us help the nation. This would have been an obvious rejoinder to the Hawker garbage. But Sean elected not to carry that quote.

Just got Kurt's email. Yes, happy to join a call to Sean.

Bruce

From: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV) Sent: Tue 4/8/2008 7:33 AM

To: 'gov.palin@yahoo.com'; 'ivyfrye@yahoo.com'; 'krisandclark@yahoo.com'; 'ftb907@yahoo.com'

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Subject: Re: AGIA "PR"

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To: Ivy personal <ivyfrye@yahoo.com>; K Perry Yahoo <krisandclark@yahoo.com>; Frank Bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com>; Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)

Cc: Anders, Bruce F (DNR); Gibson, Kurtis K (DNR)

10/22/2009

Re: AGIA "PR" Page 2 of 2

Sent: Tue Apr 08 07:25:42 2008 Subject: Fw: AGLA "PR"

Sharon- gasline team is very disappointed that someone contacted ADN to spin the "PR" firm story into something negative. I need you to discreetly find out who talked to Sean C about this and released it as a negative story. I have a feeling who may have done it, to make the gasline team look bad, but I need proof of it so I can deal with it.

----Original Message----From: gov.palin@yahoo.com

Subject: AGIA "PR"

How did Sean C. think to do a story today in ADN on your solicitation of outside PR firm? And are all local firms excluded?

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From: gov.palin@yahoo.com

Date: Tue, 8 Apr 2008 14:21:13

To: "Marty Rutherford" <marty.rutherford@alaska.gov>, "Tom Irwin" <tom.irwin@alaska.gov>, "Bruce Anders" <bruce.anders@alaska.gov>, "Sharon Leighow" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

Subject: AGIA "PR"

How did Sean C. think to do a story today in ADN on your solicitation of outside PR firm? And are all local firms excluded?

From:

Sent:

gov.palin@yahoo.com Tuesday, April 08, 2008 6:21 AM

To:

Rutherford; Marty K (DNR); Irwin; Tom E (DNR); Anders; Bruce F (DNR); Leighow; Sharon W

Subject:

(GOV) AGIA "PR"

How did Sean C. think to do a story today in ADN on your solicitation of outside PR firm? And are all local firms excluded?

From: Gibson, Kurtis K (DNR) [kurtis.gibson@alaska.gov]

Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 7:54 AM

To: gov.palin@yahoo.com; Ivy personal; K Perry Yahoo; Frank Bailey; Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)

Cc: Anders; Bruce F (DNR)

Subject: RE: AGIA "PR"

Governor, et. al.

I'm happy to talk to Sean about this. It appears to me that he's deliberately played up the PR angle in spite of our abundance of caution in discussing the outreach effort with him. Bruce and I repeatedly explained to him the difference between hiring an expert in communications and launching a PR campaign, including the use of examples. I'm very disappointed in Sean and the ADN. It's clear that Sean was intent on using the term PR despite its inaccuracy.

Sharon, Bruce - the gasline communications team should contact Sean this morning and express our disappointment. What he's done is dishonest. Let me know your availability.

Kurt

From: gov.palin@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.palin@yahoo.com]

Sent: Tue 4/8/2008 7:25 AM

To: Ivy personal; K Perry Yahoo; Frank Bailey; Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)

Cc: Anders, Bruce F (DNR); Gibson, Kurtis K (DNR)

Subject: Fw: AGIA "PR"

Sharon- gasline team is very disappointed that someone contacted ADN to spin the "PR" firm story into something negative. I need you to discreetly find out who talked to Sean C about this and released it as a negative story. I have a feeling who may have done it, to make the gasline team look bad, but I need proof of it so I can deal with it.
----Original Message-----

From: gov.palin@yahoo.com

Date: Tue, 8 Apr 2008 14:21:13

To: "Marty Rutherford" <marty.rutherford@alaska.gov>, "Tom Irwin" <tom.irwin@alaska.gov>, "Bruce Anders"

<bruce.anders@alaska.gov>,"Sharon Leighow" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

Subject: AGIA "PR"

How did Sean C. think to do a story today in ADN on your solicitation of outside PR firm? And are all local firms excluded?

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 11:11 AM

To: 'Tony Russ'

Subject: RE: Bear baiting in unit 16

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

From: Tony Russ [mailto:aruss@mtaonline.net]

Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 10:27 AM

To: Kelleyhouse, Becky A (DFG); Kelleyhouse, Becky A (DFG); Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored); Rep_Craig_Johnson@legis.state.ak.us; Johnson, Craig W (LAA); DelFrate, Gino (DFG); Hilderbrand, Grant (DFG); Soukup, Jerry L (DFG)

Subject: Bear baiting in unit 16

ADF&G Personnel, Is it true you eliminated bear baiting for sport hunters in Unit 16? If so.. Why? That would be entirely contrary to the decisions of the BOG in the recent meetings, and forever I believe. Please fix this now. Bear baiting season starts very soon, so don't delay.

Tony Russ wwww.TonyRuss.com & Northern Publishing "Guiding You to Success in the Alaska Outdoors" 907-376-6474, fax 907-373-6474 Tony@TonyRuss.com

From:

Cayce, Sunny C (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=SCCAYCE)

Sent:

Wednesday, April 09, 2008 1:54 PM

To:

Provost; Kathryn T (GOV)

Cc:

Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject:

FW: Other

Apparently this is done through Public Safety.

Sunny

----Original Message----

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 1:36 PM

To: 'nngates@yahoo.com'

Subject: RE: Other

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----Original Message----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]

Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 2:01 PM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Other

Web mail from: Nancy Gates

address: 6285 N. Wolverine Rd. Palmer AK 99645

(907) 745-8636

MESSAGE:

Governor Palin,

I am in the process of updating next year's 32nd Edition of The Alaska Almanac. One segment of the Almanac deals with Alaska's Medal of Heroism.

Can you please tell me if there have been any Medal of Heroism awarded more recently than the one given to Keira Lestina in 2003? If so, could you have someone send me the name of the recipient, a brief description of the circumstance resulting in the award, and the year it was given?

Thank you very much for your help.

Nancy Gates, Editor

The Alaska Almanac

Alaska Northwest Books

nngates@yahoo.com

From: Rowland, Mindy B (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=MBROWLAND]

Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 6:30 PM

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Cc: Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV); Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)

Subject: Alaska Map w/ Per Capita Capital Approps.

Hi Governor,

You had asked for a visual representation of the per capita budget appropriations of the House Finance CS. I got with Andy and he worked up a really great Alaska map and punched in the numbers I gave him. He tells me that it takes about 2 hours to have it printed so we'll want to make sure we can get the timing right so you have it for use in a press conference before the bill hits the House floor (I'm assuming this is the reason for your request).

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Please let me know what you decide.

Thanks Mindy

Mindy Rowland Deputy Legislative Director Office of Governor Sarah Palin 465-4021

From:

Nizich, Michael A (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=MANIZICH]

Sent:

Wednesday, April 09, 2008 2:52 PM

To:

gov.sarah@yahoo.com; Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)

Subject:

FW: Guardian Flight Press Release

Importance: High

The latest on MAST

From: Pierre, Mchugh (ANG)

Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 2:46 PM

To: Nizich, Michael A (GOV); Cramer, John W (MVA); Campbell, Craig (MVA); Katkus, Tom BG NGAK (DMVA

Sponsored)

Subject: FW: Guardian Flight Press Release

Importance: High

Guardian Flight service is trying to put together a coalition, with State Troopers, to provide air ambulance services to interior Alaska.

They bought a helicopter for use in the Fairbanks area and have not officially signed a contract with the US Army. Also, Sen. Wilken has been working very closely, as you all know, with us and is very upset about the Rep. Kawasaki reference in the 5th graf of the press release sent out today by Guardian.

Thanks.

McHugh Pierre

Director of Public Relations & Legislative Liaison Alaska Department of Military and Veterans Affairs 907-321-2179 cell 907-465-4402 Juneau office

----Original Message----

From: Chris Freiberg [mailto:Cfreiberg@newsminer.com]

Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 1:55 PM

To: djohnson@iremsc.org

Subject: Fwd: Guardian Flight Press Release

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Robert Bonestroo" < rbonestroo@gfaircare.com>

Date: April 9, 2008 1:36:18 PM AKDT
To: <<u>Cfreiberg@newsminer.com</u>>
Subject: Guardian Flight Press Release

Guardian Flight Inc. is pleased to announce the introduction of a civilian helicopter EMS program to Interior Alaska. With the US Army MAST helicopter program set to depart permanently on July 1, emergency services in the interior are faced with an enormous void in their ability to locate and rescue the ill and injured. Guardian Flight, the largest, most experienced and only CAMTS accredited critical care air ambulance based in the interior, will be providing the medical infrastructure as well as highly trained medical specialists to staff a helicopter provided by Air Logistics, a vendor with its own long history of

Since the 1970's, the MAST program has provided the vast interior of Alaska with superior helicopter air medical services,

searching for and rescuing lost hikers, victims of remote ATV and plane crashes, as well as those injured in motor vehicle collisions on remote highways. With extraordinarily skilled flight crews and the singular capabilities of the Blackhawk helicopter, both residents of, and visitors to the interior could always count on MAST to provide help from above when the chips were down.

However, with MAST's announcement of their planned departure, the interior of Alaska was left scrambling for an alternative. There were no easy answers since MAST has provided the backbone of the Troopers search and rescue capabilities in addition to providing medevac services for their own military personnel. And virtually all of the individual EMS groups in the interior have benefited in the past as well

groups in the interior have benefited in the past as well.
"We will require the support of the state, the military, local EMS, as well as the community at large to make this a viable entity" says Guardian Flight's owner and president Dr. Eric Stirling. "The costs of a helicopter program are otherwise prohibitive. But with adequate support, we feel that we can provide a significant majority of the services currently performed by MAST."

Scott Kawasaki, state representative from Fairbanks has taken an active role in garnering governmental support for the forthcoming program. With a past that has included working in the emergency department at Fairbanks Memorial Hospital, Scott has a unique appreciation for the interior's emergency medical needs. "I've met with Scott and he has been nothing but supportive and helpful" says Dr. Marc Dumas, the new program's medical director and former civilian medical director of MAST. "We're hoping that the state will be able to step up to the plate and provide some significant degree of support. With Scott on our side, we're that much closer."

Guardian Flight has been providing fixed-wing critical care air ambulance services to the interior for more than 10 years. Air Logistics of Alaska, a Bristow company, entered the Alaska market in 1977. Air Log's core business is helicopter transportation services targeted to Alaska's oil and gas and related support industries. This will be their first foray into the medevac arena in Alaska.

Thanks,

Marc

Marc Dumas, MD, FACEP, FAAEM

Flight Physician

Guardian Flight, Inc.

1166 Skyline Drive

Fairbanks, Alaska 99712

ph; 907-457-1458

fax: 907-457-4243

email: skylinep@alaska.com

From: Bailey, Frank T (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

GROUP/CN=RÈCIPIÉNTS/CN=FTBAILEY]

Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 2:22 PM

To: 'Sarah Palin'; 'krisandclark@yahoo.com'; 'fek9wnr@yahoo.com'; 'ivyfrye@yahoo.com'

Subject: FW: Mike Heimbuch's opinion piece

Mike's final that went in the Clarion on spending and locally supported priorities.

From: Jane Alberts [mailto:Jane_Alberts@legis.state.ak.us]

Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 2:11 PM

To: Bailey, Frank T (GOV)

Subject: re: Mike Heimbuch's opinion piece

Hi Frank:

Hey, just wanted to thank you for getting Mike to write this piece. Nice to see this sentiment voiced once in awhile. I lived in Homer, too, for 17 years, and can concur with his view of this. And I sometimes wonder how much the public really knows or approves of, when it comes to state spending, other than what they ultimately read in the papers.

'Fluffy stuff' should be determined by the voters

http://peninsulaclarion.com/stories/040908/letters_4846.shtml?p

Have a nice day!

Jane

Jane Alberts
Aide to Senator Con Bunde, District P
Alaska State Capitol
Juneau, Alaska 99801
907-465-4843
907-465-3871 FAX

Web posted Wednesday, April 9, 2008

'Fluffy stuff' should be determined by the voters

Senator Bert Stedman in Juneau has been defending his proposed district projects and fighting with the governor over her veto threats. In the newspaper he says: "I can defend and justify every project in that district. You'll see there is no fluffy stuff."

Stedman's words reflect part of a problem with public spending, and Homer residents may have provided a suitable response with their recent vote on a bond issue.

Legislators are the focal point for projects originated by municipalities and other interest groups.

8/26/2009

Certainly these groups don't see their projects as "fluffy stuff," nor do we expect them to since these projects often make it onto CIP wish lists of a city or borough. But that may not be sufficient proof of public need or community support.

In Homer this last month, by a 2-1 margin, voters rejected an \$8 million bond for a new city hall and town center. This project had support of the Legislature, university, city government and several interest groups, stretching back many years.

The Homer vote can be instructive for us. Often times the very people who bring projects forward for public funding have not measured the will of the people. The fact that an interest group or local government has a decent purpose in mind is not adequate reason to hold the public treasury hostage or badger people into spending it.

It may be difficult to see why a governor might personally agree with and support the public purpose of a project " and yet find reason to disapprove spending public money on it. It is simply because the governor is not elected to impose their personal preferences upon the public or hand out some yearly allowance to well-behaved children. People expect the governor to apply a consistent and defensible approach for measuring public need prior to spending public money.

To the extent that election of a governor reflects the will of the people " so then must the people's will be reflected in the veto pen of the governor.

Mike Heimbuch

Homer

ent:	om: John Katz [jwkatz@ALASKADC.org] nt: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 8:13 AM		
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com			
	ject: Re: DC Office/Staff - PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL		
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Asv	ou know, Allison Nyholm and Sam Bishop will be leaving this = office on		
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I would be glad to discuss the reasons for my recommendations in = greater detail. If possible, I would appreciate your early considerat= ion of these recommendations, as both individuals will need to make = personal arrangements.

Please note that my email address has = changed. My new email address = is <mailto:jwkatz@alaskadc.org> jwkatz@alaskadc.org. = Thank you .

From: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=KYPERRY]

Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 3:57 PM

To: Kelly; Russell T (GOV)

Cc: 'Sarah Palin'; Rowland; Mindy B (GOV); Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV)

Subject: SB 59

Russ,

As you know I met with Gold Cache Bingo, Anchorage Bucs and the Independent Blind groups today. All entities are non-profits impacted by charitable gaming; relying on raffles and pull-tabs for revenue. They wanted to express their support for SB 59. In their opinion it doesn't expand gambling; it increases the threshold from \$1 million to \$2 million which they say hasn't been increased since at least 1987. They said that because there hasn't been an increase, with inflation and the increased cost of doing business, they are actually losing money in some cases. This bill provides for inflation proofing.

Aside from the increase and the allowance of the cabbage classic, I'm not overly familiar with all the details of the bill. Privileged or Persprivileged or Personal Material Redacted

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Kris Perry, Director Office of Governor Sarah Palin & Office of International Trade 907.269.7450 (p) 907.269.7463 (f)

From:

Kari Spencer [kari_spencer@gov.state.ak.us]

Sent:

Monday, April 09, 2007 12:55 PM

To:

Sarah Palin

Cc:

'Michael Tibbles'

Subject:

Leo von Scheben Mother has passed away

Importance: High

Hi Governor. I received word today that DOTPF Commissioner Leo von Scheben's Mother (age 92) has passed away. I do not know any other details, Russ was going to ask around. His cell is 321-2047 if you want to give him a call.

Kari Spencer Governor's Scheduler 907-465-3986 phone; 907-465-3889 fax

From:

Bailey, Frank T (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=FTBAILEY]

Sent:

Wednesday, April 09, 2008 4:31 PM

To:

gov.palin@yahoo.com

Subject: FW:

From: Richard Rohrer [mailto:RRohrer@alaska.com]

Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 4:07 PM

To: Bailey, Frank T (GOV)

Subject:

Frank,

Just one more item of interest about the BGCSB. At least four of us are Christians (Real Born Again Kind). In addition to us four Kevin Saxby (Dept of Law) is also a mature Christian. I'm sure this has a lot to do with how well the board works together.

Dick

From:

Sent:

To:

gov.sarah@yahoo.com Wednesday, April 09, 2008 4:26 PM Mason; Janice L (GOV); Leschper; Beth (GOV)

Subject:

Diomede

Importance:

High

Pls have pens and pins for Elan to take to the Lil Dim school kids. Thanks Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

From:

Sent:

To:

gov.sarah@yahoo.com Wednesday, April 09, 2008 3:52 PM Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Rowland; Mindy B (GOV)

Subject:

Fw: CON

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

----Original Message----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Wed, 9 Apr 2008 21:54:12

To: "Karleen Jackson" <karleen.jackson@alaska.gov>, "Mike Tibbles" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "Anna Kim" <anna.kim@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Sharon Leighow" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>, "Beth Leschper" <beth.leschper@alaska.gov>, "Rosanne Hughes" <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>

Subject: CON

Just for clarification again- lawmakers need to know there's no change with my CON position- I'm still convinced repeal of CON is key to long-range solution on health care strategies. I still desire a huge push at the end here, without compromise, to see CON repealed.

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From:

Bailey, Frank T (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

Sent:

GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=FTBAILEY] Wednesday, April 09, 2008 12:21 PM

To:

Nizich; Michael A (GOV); 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'

Subject:

Re: Big Gama Commercial Services Board

Sure is.

His son Dan was trying to convince candidate Sarah into doing the survival suit races with him for crab fest in '06.

Fun stuff.

F

---- Original Message -----

From: Nizich, Michael A (GOV)

To: ExternalEmailgsp; Bailey, Frank T (GOV)

Sent: Wed Apr 09 11:36:54 2008

Subject: FW: Big Gama Commercial Services Board

FYI

Richard is a great guy!

From: Richard Rohrer [mailto:RRohrer@alaska.com]

Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 11:04 AM

To: Coghill, John (LAA); Buch, Bob (LAA); Crawford, Harry (LAA); Dahlstrom, Nancy (LAA); Doogan, Mike (LAA); Edgmon, Bryce E (LAA); Fairclough, Anna (LAA); Foster, Neal (LAA); Gara, Les (LAA); Gardner, Berta (LAA); Gatto, Carl (LAA); Guttenberg, David (LAA); Harris, John (LAA); Holmes, Lindsey (LAA); Ramras, Jay B (LAA); Kawasaki, Scott Jw (LAA); Kelly, Mike (LAA); Kerttula, Beth (LAA); Ledoux, Gabrielle R (LAA); Lynn, Bob (LAA); Meyer, Kevin G (LAA); Nelson, Mary (LAA); Joule, Reggie (LAA); Salmon, Woodie W (LAA); Stoltze, Bill (LAA); Thomas, Bill (LAA); Davis, Bettye J (LAA); Dyson, Fred (LAA); French, Hollis (LAA);

Hoffman, Lyman F (LAA); Kookesh, Albert (LAA); McGuire, Lesil L (LAA); Olson, Donny (LAA); Stevens, Gary L (LAA); Wagoner, Tom (LAA); Wielechowski, Bill (LAA); Wilken, Gary R (LAA); Therriault, Gene (LAA); Thomas, Joe (LAA); Nizich, Michael A (GOV)

Subject: Big Gama Commercial Services Board

Dear Legislators,

I am contacting you to encourage your vote to confirm Brenda Rabner's appointment to the Big Game Commercial Services Board. At our recent board meeting in Fairbanks Brenda was seated beside me giving me an opportunity to interact with her about Guided, Sport and Subsistence hunting. I was impressed with how quickly she understood the issues the board was addressing and I believe she will bring a very valuable view to the board.

Some of you have no doubt heard how well the BGCSB members have worked together. Brenda Rabner will be a strong voice for the large Private Landowners in the State and also work well with the existing board members.

Please vote yes to confirm Brenda's appointment.

Thank You, Richard Rohrer (Dick)

Master Guide # 69

Member Big Game Commercial Services Board

From: Kelly, Russell T (GOV) [russ.kelly@alaska.gov]

Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 4:42 PM

Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Hughes; Rosanne (GOV sponsored); Rehfeld; Karen J (GOV) To:

Subject: HB 325 Teachers/Health Care Professionals Housing

S FIN is now scheduled to hear HB 325, Teachers/Health Care Professionals Housing Loan tomorrow.

This is one of our bills.

From:

Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent:

Wednesday, April 09, 2008 12:16 PM

To:

'barnett@kalama.com'

Subject:

RE: Other

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Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 12:13 PM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Other

Web mail from: shannon barnett

address: 503 Mountain View Rd Kalama WA 98625

360 957 3538

MESSAGE:

can you have your scheduler call me to talk about a speaking request of the governor?

shannon

3609573538

barnett@kalama.com

From:

Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored) [govpalin@alaska.gov]

Sent:

Wednesday, April 09, 2008 9:04 AM

To:

Kelly; Russell T (GOV)

Subject:

Re: D.C.

I couldn't imagine my kids not growing up with their cousins. It's a very precious part of their upbringing.

But won't your mother-in-law wring your neck if you're a few thousand miles away?

---- Original Message -----

From: Kelly, Russell T (GOV)

To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)

Sent: Wed Apr 09 08:57:33 2008

Subject: RE: D.C.

Governor,

I really appreciate those words of encouragement...and your support for the move.

I still regret how it came out...and wish I had had the opportunity to explain our reasoning for being interested in the move...before you heard from John. I thought we had all been clear on the plan to wait, internally, but I also understand John's desire to quickly move things along and solidify his team.

Suffice to say, Ellen and I are interested in the move for a variety of reasons, and not the least of which is that my entire family is on the East Coast. My mother is moving soon from N.H. and will be only a short trip north of D.C. It gives me the opportunity to serve Alaska and still be within short trips of my rather large family (Gus and Joshua have 17 cousins). We've missed them very much.

Thank you again for your understanding about the mix-up on communications, and for your support of this decision. I am forever grateful for the opportunity to serve this office and this state that has been so good to me and my family. It will be an honor to continue that service in our nation's capital.

Russ

----Original Message----

From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)

Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 8:37 AM

To: Kelly, Russell T (GOV)

Subject: Re: D.C.

Don't feel bad about this at all. Russ- if you and your family are feeling led to broaden your horizons, take on new challenges, and go through an open door that is there before you, then you are wise to seek confirmation on this and, then, to grab it!

You and Ellen are at a cool point in life where you're seeing new chapters unfold. If working together in DC for Alaska's benefit is appealing to you, I support you and it can be a very good thing for you and our state.

Thank you!

---- Original Message -----

From: Kelly, Russell T (GOV)

To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)

Sent: Wed Apr 09 08:29:42 2008

Subject: D.C.

Governor,

I'm sorry for the mix-up. The D.C. discussion was supposed to occur after session. I was going to ask your permission, once the dust had settled next week.

I apologize for not having brought it up before you heard from John. That was not my intention and I feel badly about it.

Russ

From:

gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Sent: To: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 7:08 PM

Rowland; Mindy B (GOV)

Subject:

Re: Alaska Map w/ Per Capita Capital Approps.

Could you give me a call

Thanks.
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Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

----Original Message-----

From: "Rowland, Mindy B (GOV)" <mindy.rowland@alaska.gov>

Date: Wed, 09 Apr 2008 18:29:34

To:gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Cc: "Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored) " <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>, "Kelly, Russell T (GOV) " <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>, "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV) " <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>

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Please let me know what you decide.

Thanks

Mindy

Mindy Rowland

Deputy Legislative Director

Office of Governor Sarah Palin

465-4021

From: Sent:

Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored) [govpalin@alaska.gov]

Wednesday, April 09, 2008 4:44 PM

To:

Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Hughes; Rosanne (GOV sponsored);

Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV)

Subject:

Re: HB 325 Teachers/Health Care Professionals Housing

Thank you

---- Original Message -----

From: Kelly, Russell T (GOV)

To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Hughes, Rosanne (GOV

sponsored); Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV)

Sent: Wed Apr 09 16:41:36 2008

Subject: HB 325 Teachers/Health Care Professionals Housing

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From: PAUL KENDALL [pauldkendall@yahoo.com]

Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 9:47 PM

To: Stedman: Bert K (LAA)

Cc: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored); Colberg; Talis J (LAW); Rep_john_harris@legis.state.ak.us;

rep_ralph_samuels@legis.state.ak.us; wasilla; rep_bob_tynn@legis.state.ak.us; rep_david_guttenburg@legis.state.ak.us; rep_john_coghill@legis.state.ak.us;

rep_les_garra@legis.state.ak.us; rep_mike_hawker@legis.state.ak.us;

rep_sharon_Cissna@legis.state.ak.us; Gatto; Carl (LAA); Johnson; Craig W (LAA); Harris; John (LAA); Meyer; Kevin G (LAA); representative_less_gara@legis.state.ak.us; Holmes; Lindsey (LAA); Gruenberg; Max F (LAA); Chenault; Mike (LAA); Doogan; Mike (LAA);

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news@peninsulaclarion.com; nugget@nomenugget.com; bob ormberg;

realnews@deltadiscovery.com; rhowell@alasakanewspapers.com; shannon@kudo1080.com;

anchtimes@alaska.net

Subject: ref: bill 152

Date: 4-9-08

inreference to bill 152 on renewable energy,,,, i have not read it so my opologies...

i did want to comment so i drafted these short notes for your committee to consider. Please accept these for the record as my testimony in case i am unable to testify tomorrow..again...

Thank You again.

I hope some day you all can escape from your captivity in Juneau and return to your "homeland in the heart of Alaska area" where 85% + of your people eagerly await and hope for your wellbeing and prosperous return; so we can participate along side you all in a more rewarding and sharing attempt to help in the history of building a great country state like Alaska where our fathers and mothers came to be a more free people, an honest people, with a government by, for and of the people!

I realize I am unworthy of this attempt to remind you all of your absence from your obligation to your people; given your great lineages of contributions to Alaskas history... But it seems to me that most great societies failed without being connected to their citizens accountability.....I never saw a great battle or struggle fought between good and evil without the heroes being in the midst of the battle with their people...in the frey...

Respectfully,

One only and lonely Alaskan citizen who misses being able to so readily give our great leaders a hard time because they are working so hard, so far, far away, in a really neat, pretty, warm, friendly, distant, unaccessable, remote, little tourist town with the .05% of the creme de la creme aristocracy; While i SLOG back and forth, to and fro from my humble abode to the LIO only to no avail, again and again the ability to humbely contribute to my community of the Great State of Alaska and Our Great Leaders quest to find justice and better society for us all....

Paul D. Kendall 907-222-7882

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From: PAUL KENDALL [pauldkendall@yahoo.com]

Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 8:43 PM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored); Colberg; Talis J (LAW)

Subject: Alaska the New Energy base society

To. Governor Palin From: Paul D. Kendall

Date: 4-9-08

Please accept my opinions on Alaska, the Atlantis of Energy Alaska, Energy Genesis Genesis, Alaska Energies

thought you all might enjoy these thoughts...

Paul D. Kendall

907-222-7882

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From:

gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Sent:

Wednesday, April 09, 2008 8:43 AM

To:

McBride; Rhonda (GOV)

Cc:

Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Colberg; Talis J (LAW); Mason; Janice L (GOV)

Subject:

Re: State Seal Task Force

Pls let the other folks know you're doing this- and I'll hand this off now. Thanks! Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

----Original Message----

From: "McBride, Rhonda (GOV)" <rhonda.mcbride@alaska.gov>

Date: Wed, 09 Apr 2008 08:19:06

To:ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Subject: RE: State Seal Task Force

I will call the offices of Joule & Coghill this morning.

Thanks,

Rhonda

----Original Message----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com <mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Wed 4/9/2008 8:05 AM

To: Mason, Janice L (GOV); Colberg, Talis J (LAW); K Perry Yahoo; McBride, Rhonda (GOV)

Cc: Kelly, Russell T (GOV)

Subject: Re: State Seal Task Force

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----Original Message----

From: "Mason, Janice L (GOV)" <janice.mason@alaska.gov>

Date: Tue, 08 Apr 2008 14:31:07

To:Sarah Palin <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Subject: FW: State Seal Task Force

Comments from AG - Janice

From: Colberg, Talis J (LAW)

Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 2:09 PM

To: Mason, Janice L (GOV)

Subject: RE: State Seal Task Force

Dear Janice,

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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV)

Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 1:39 PM

To: Colberg, Talis J (LAW); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); McBride, Rhonda (GOV)

Cc: ExternalEmailgsp

Subject: State Seal Task Force

The Governor asked that this be forwarded to above parties. Please note that this has not been released yet and is confidential. Thank you, Janice

From: Mason, Janice L (GOV)

Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 1:35 PM

To: Mason, Janice L (GOV)

Subject: Scan

From: Sent: To: Cc: Subject:	gov.sarah@yahoo.com Wednesday, April 09, 2008 8:41 AM Katz; John W (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV) Nizich; Michael A (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV) Re: DC Office/Staff - PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL
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Date: Wed, 09	Apr 2008 11:21:37
To: "Michael Ti	bbles" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov></mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>
Cc:"Mike Nizio <kris_perry@go< td=""><td>h" <mike.nizich@alaska.gov>,"Kris Perry" v.state.ak.us>,"Governor Sarah Palin" <gov.sarah@yahoo.com></gov.sarah@yahoo.com></mike.nizich@alaska.gov></td></kris_perry@go<>	h" <mike.nizich@alaska.gov>,"Kris Perry" v.state.ak.us>,"Governor Sarah Palin" <gov.sarah@yahoo.com></gov.sarah@yahoo.com></mike.nizich@alaska.gov>
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As you know, A July 1st, resp Privileged or Per	allison Nyholm and Sam Bishop will be leaving this = office on June 1st and Dectively. Accordingly, I = recommend Privileged or Personal Material Redacted Their = resumes are attached.
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I would be glad to discuss the reasons for my recommendations in = greater detail. If possible, I would appreciate your early considerat= ion of these recommendations, as both individuals will need to make = personal arrangements.

Please note that my email address has = changed. My new email address = is <mailto:jwkatz@alaskadc.org> jwkatz@alaskadc.org. = Thank you .

From:

Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent:

Wednesday, April 09, 2008 8:41 AM skytruck@cis-broadband.com

To: Subject:

RE: Budget

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

----Original Message----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]

Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 7:24 PM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Budget

Web mail from: Mr. Wells Carswell

address: 6566 S. Patriot Pl. Hereford AZ 85615

520-226-6846

MESSAGE:

Congratulations on your veto of the \$58 million earmark spending. It took a great deal of intestinal fortitude to take that step. As an ex-Alaska resident I am always interested in what is happening in "our" state. The other states in the US of A need more leadership like you have shown. Keep up the good work.

Respectfully

Wells G "Bill" Carswell

skytruck@cis-broadband.com

From:

Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored) [govpalin@alaska.gov]

Sent:

Wednesday, April 09, 2008 8:37 AM

To:

Kelly; Russell T (GOV)

Subject:

Re: D.C.

Don't feel bad about this at all. Russ- if you and your family are feeling led to broaden your horizons, take on new challenges, and go through an open door that is there before you, then you are wise to seek confirmation on this and, then, to grab it!

You and Ellen are at a cool point in life where you're seeing new chapters unfold. If working together in DC for Alaska's benefit is appealing to you, I support you and it can be a very good thing for you and our state.

Thank you!

---- Original Message -----

From: Kelly, Russell T (GOV)

To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)

Sent; Wed Apr 09 08:29:42 2008

Subject: D.C.

Governor,

I'm sorry for the mix-up. The D.C. discussion was supposed to occur after session. I was going to ask your permission, once the dust had settled_next week.

I apologize for not having brought it up before you heard from John. That was not my intention and I feel badly about it.

Russ

From:

Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent: To: Subject: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 8:34 AM 'sean_winschel@yahoo.com' RE: Military_and_Veterans_Affairs

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----Original Message----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]

Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 6:19 PM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Military_and_Veterans_Affairs

Web mail from: Mr. sean winschel

address: 1216 bainbridge blvd fairbanks AK 99701

9073746650

MESSAGE:

hello! I need help and I'm trying to pull strings. My wife jennifer 1 winschel is currently active duty. She has been stationed at Army Bassett Hospital since 2002. we are on our 2nd tour. she has been assigned orders to ft. Hood Texas. We have four wonderful children that have grown up here and love this wonderful state. I work at the U-haul center have been employed over 4yrs would love to stay on board.

My wife is a 66papa(x-ray tech)/ultra sound.

Which the hospital is already understaffed to provide service to all military and their dependents etc...

She has been assigned to the wtu (warrior transion unit) she loves want she is doing for the soldiers that have been wounded in war.

Bottom line is her branch manager?sergent major of the Bassett hospital wont allow her stay. We have to PCS been here to long.

sean_winschel@yahoo.com

From:

gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 8:06 AM To: Mason; Janice L (GOV); Colberg; Talis J (LAW); K Perry Yahoo; McBride; Rhonda (GOV) Cc: Kelly; Russell T (GOV) Re: State Seal Task Force Subject: Coghill has changed his tactic and will now put a few thousand dollars in budget, earmarked for this task, instead of resolution. Whomever wants to take it from here can contact Coghill or Joule and get more info from their offices. Thanks. Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One ----Original Message----From: "Mason, Janice L (GOV) " <janice.mason@alaska.gov> Date: Tue, 08 Apr 2008 14:31:07 To:Sarah Palin <gov.sarah@yahoo.com> Subject: FW: State Seal Task Force Comments from AG - Janice From: Colberg, Talis J (LAW) Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 2:09 PM To: Mason, Janice L (GOV) Subject: RE: State Seal Task Force Dear Janice, Privileged or Personal Material Redacted Privileged or Personal Material Re Talis

From: Mason, Janice L (GOV)

Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 1:39 PM

To: Colberg, Talis J (LAW); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); McBride, Rhonda (GOV)

Cc: ExternalEmailgsp

Subject: State Seal Task Force

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Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 1:35 PM

To: Mason, Janice L (GOV)

Subject: Scan

From:

gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Sent:

Wednesday, April 09, 2008 6:01 AM

To:

Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); McBride; Rhonda (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Colberg; Talis J

(LAW)

Cc:

Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV); Kelly; Russell T (GOV); PARNELL; S

(GOV sponsored)

Subject:

Re: State Seal

Ok

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

----Original Message----

From: "Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>

Date: Tue, 08 Apr 2008 17:40:33

Cc: "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV) " <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>, "Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored) " <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>, "Kelly, Russell T (GOV) " <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>, "PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored) " <sr.parnell@alaska.gov>

Subject: RE: State Seal

Just so everyone has the latest...

The plan is now to put language into the capital budget tied to a small appropriation. Rep. Coghill was not confident he could get a resolution through at this point.

Mike

----Original Message----

From: McBride, Rhonda (GOV)

Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 1:46 PM

To: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); ExternalEmailgsp; Colberg, Talis J (LAW)

Cc: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored); Kelly,

Russell T (GOV); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored)
Subject: RE: State Seal

Sounds good that the legislative branch is taking the lead. Teamwork is a wonderful thing.

----Original Message----

From: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)

Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 1:19 PM

To: ExternalEmailgsp; Colberg, Talis J (LAW); McBride, Rhonda (GOV)
Cc: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored); Kelly,
Russell T (GOV); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored)

Subject: RE: State Seal

Talis,

Please let Rhonda and I know if we can do anything to assist. I'd like to keep the Statehood Commission apprised of this also.

Thanks

Kris Perry, Director

Office of Governor Sarah Palin &

Office of International Trade

907.269.7450 (p)

907.269.7463 (f)

----Original Message----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 1:12 PM

To: Colberg, Talis J (LAW); McBride, Rhonda (GOV); Perry, Kristina Y

(GOV)

Cc: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored); Kelly,

Russell T (GOV); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); PARNELL, S (GOV sponsored)
Subject: State Seal

Joule and Coghill will introduce resoultion to support changing state seal to incorporate Native illustration... and they'll work on a task force to accomplish this with Talis being our designee to serve on the task force - they asked us to have a positive message about their efforts. This is all about respect, recognition, unity. It's all good. Sent from my BlackBerry(r) device from Cellular One

From: tommyjoe@alaska.com on behalf of Tom Dawson [tommyjoe@alaska.com]

Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 4:41 PM

To: llegge@charter.net

Cc: Ken Kreitzer; case@alaskanmarineadventures.com; Beartrack Charters; Captain B's Alaskan C's Adventures; Alaska Charter Association; Jack Cadigan; Ken Larson; Max Nix; olesandy; Peter B Wright; toni@hitime.com; Whales Eye Lodge - Rick Bierman; Glynn; Brian J (DFG); Governor Sarah

Palin (GOV sponsored); Lloyd; Denby S (DFG)

Subject: Southwest Airline Pilots fishing trip...

Len.

Alaska Dept. of Fish & Game sent out the following announcement yesterday. Please see the attached document.

You will note that these new regulations will affect the fishing trip you have scheduled for your big group of Southwest Airlines Pilots you've scheduled for August 12th and 13th. Your scheduled fishing trip falls into the time frame that ADFG has chosen to prohibit the retention of all King Salmon less than 48 inches in length in the Juneau area.

This ADFG announcement even <u>eliminates the retention of King Salmon under 48" during our 62nd</u> annual <u>Golden North Salmon Derby</u>, (scheduled for Aug 8th, 9th and 10th as I mentioned to you earlier).

I sincerely regret having to inform you of this situation, and was looking forward to showing your group of Pilots a good time fishing here in Juneau, as we have done many times over the past years, but I am letting you know about this as soon as I have learned, so you can decide if this action will mean a change in your groups plans for this year.

I have included the fax numbers and email address for both the Alaska Governor's Chief of staff, Mike Tibbles, and the Commissioner of Fish & Game, Denby Lloyd. I would hope that you or your group would contact them and express your thoughts regarding this. Or you can access the State's web site at www.state.ak.us and find any other individual's that you would like to send an email to.

Mike Tibbles, fax: 907-465-3532 <u>governor@alaska.gov</u> Denby Lloyd, fax: 907-465-2332 <u>denby.lloyd@alaska.gov</u>

I look forward to hearing back from you soon.

Capt. Tommy Three Eagle Charters

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 8:59 AM

To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV)

Subject: FW: Other

From: j a [mailto:afs48@lycos.com]
Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 6:56 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: RE: Other

thanks

From: "Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)" <governor@alaska.gov>

To: afs48@lycos.com

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

----Original Message----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]

Sent: Sunday, June 24, 2007 10:46 PM To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Dwayne Andries address: 14939 arundel HOUSTON TX 77530

713-725-3606

MESSAGE:

V.P. position? I am supporting Rudy for '08.1 would like to see you as his running mate...or in conjunction with any one of the alternative Presidential candidates who survives the primary.

AS a contributor to Rudy's campaign ..albeit a small contributor as of yet... I am going to email him with my recommendation for Governor Palin to be a potential candidate for V.P.

The republicans must win this election. And based on my research, you would be a great asset to the presidential campaign.

Thanks for your time, Dwayne

afs48@lycos.com PLEASE ADD TO E-NEWS

From: Kelly, Russell T (GOV) [russ.kelly@alaska.gov]

Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 3:44 PM

To: Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored)

Cc: Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Nizich; Michael A (GOV); Rehfeld; Karen J (GOV); Hughes; Rosanne (GOV

sponsored)

Subject: update

Stefan Milkowski just stopped me in the stairwell and asked me if you had worked out an agreement with the legislature on overall spending. I told him about the meeting this morning (with the presiding officers and finance co-chairs), which was cordial, and that I was not aware of any agreement on spending levels.

He asked about legislation, also. I told him that you were firm on your CON stance and were adamant about getting another hearing in H FIN (I've been to Meyer's office again today asking for a hearing).

I told him you were frustrated with the fact that HB 111, Business License Fee, hasn't been heard in S FIN and that Sen. Stedman is apparently unaffected by concerns over this bill being held. We also talked about HB 106, Studded Tire Fee Repeal, which passed the House today by a 39-0 vote, and promptly got TWO referrals in the Senate (TRANS, FIN). I explained to Stefan that I've already asked Sen. Kookesh (S TRANS chair) to see if the bill could get waived out of his committee. Sen. Kookesh agreed and hopefully that will get done quickly, which means the bill will get in line in S FIN.

The other bill in S FIN we have concern over is HB 325, Teachers/Health Care Professionals Housing Loan, but Bryan Butcher, AHFC, says that bill will get heard. He's been assured. That said, we'll keep on it.

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 8:55 AM

To: Smith; Lynne M (GOV)

Subject: FW: Weekly News Bulletin: Apr. 8-14, 2008

From: Waste Business Journal [mailto:info@wastebusinessjournal.com]

Sent: Tuesday, April 08, 2008 11:06 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Weekly News Bulletin: Apr. 8-14, 2008

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- 2. New York City Mayor Bloomberg Signs E-Waste Bill
- 3. Advanced Disposal Acquires Appalachian Waste, Expanding into North Georgia
- 4. Dell Is Powering Headquarters on Landfill Waste
- 5. Company to Produce Synthetic Jet Fuel from Garbage
- 6. Alter NRG Closes \$46-Million Bought-Deal Financing
- 7. Georgia Power Strikes another Deal for Power from Landfill Waste
- 8. Republic Services to Release First Quarter and Host Conference Call on April 24
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- 10. Oshkosh Appoints Christian Tecca Managing Director, Geesink Norba Group
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1. CONGRESSIONAL E-WASTE PLAN DRAWS IRE FROM MANY CORNERS

A legislative blueprint for e-waste regulation, detailed in a concept paper, is drawing ire from many corners including the EPA, states, industry and environmental groups, each with an axe to grind. The concept paper was crafted by staff working for lawmakers who are members of an informal, bipartisan e-waste working group. The plan calls for a new e-waste subtitle of the Resource Conservation & Recovery Act (RCRA). It would ban landfilling of recyclable e-wastes, regulate it as a new category of waste while exempting it from current rules governing solid and hazardous waste; require EPA to set minimum standards for new state programs while grandfathering existing state programs; and require increased notifications and consent from receiving countries for e-waste exports. Among those critical of the measure is the Consumer Electronics Association which calls it unfair and unbalanced by placing financial responsibility on the industry for recycling its products. They cite surveys that show take-back fees would not be effective...Read More »

2. NEW YORK CITY MAYOR BLOOMBERG SIGNS E-WASTE BILL

As expected, New York City Mayor Michael Bloomberg signed into law a bill that requires manufacturers of computers, televisions and other electronic equipment to establish recycling programs for those products in the city and to dispose of them in an environmentally sound manner. A second part of the bill, to which the Mayor objects, would further require manufacturers to meet certain recycling benchmarks and involves an escalating fee structure. He has said that he would veto this part of the bill because it disproportionately burdens manufactures instead of wholesalers whom actually sell directly to the public. Under the legislation that passed, electronics manufacturers are to develop and operate programs that could include curbside or neighborhood collection and returns by mail and in stores. Consumers would be required to participate, and by 2010 could face a \$100 fine for throwing out specific e-waste. Twelve states have adopted electronic waste laws. New York City is the first municipality to do so...Read More »

ADVANCED DISPOSAL ACQUIRES APPALACHIAN WASTE, EXPANDING INTO NORTH GEORGIA

Jacksonville, Fla.-based Advanced Disposal Services Inc., continuing its expansion dropout the southeast, recently acquired Blue Ridge, Ga.-based Appalachian Waste Services LLC and its affiliate Mountain Convenience Center Properties LLC. Terms of the deal were not disclosed. The acquisition adds landfill capacity and opens markets in the north Georgia and North Carolina. It is the second deal for Advanced Disposal in little over a month. In late February, they purchased the hauling and recycling operations including a construction debris landfill from Waste Services Inc. for \$57.5 million. Advanced Disposal, which Itself is a unit of AIG Highstar, already owns and operates waste collection, processing and disposal operations in Florida, Georgia, Alabama and Mississippi...Read More »

4. DELL IS POWERING HEADQUARTERS ON LANDFILL WASTE

With great fanfare, Dell Computer, TXU Energy and Waste Management announced a partnership whereby energy from landfill gas, a renewable resource will provide much of the power used by Dell's 2.1 million square-foot global headquarters. Forty percent of Dell's campus power

needs are being met by power generated from Waste Management's Austin Community Landfill gas-to-energy plant, while the remaining sixty percent comes from existing wind farms provided by TXU Energy. "We're looking to be carbon neutral as a company and we've done that today," said Dell representative Dane Parker...Read More »

5. COMPANY TO PRODUCE SYNTHETIC JET FUEL FROM GARBAGE

A Los Angeles-based synthetic fuel developer, Rentech, Inc. is expanding an Initiative to produce synthetic biofuels including jet fuel from municipal solid waste (MSW). The company has developed a clean-energy technology that converts ordinary MSW into ultra-clean, biodegradable jet fuel, potentially meeting the needs of local airports and communities. Virgin Airlines successfully demonstrated the use of biofuels derived from coconut and Brazilian babassu nuts in a commercial airliner during a recent test flight from London to Amsterdam. According to Richard Penning, EVP of Commercial Affairs for Rentech, "We believe our technology's ability to convert non-food feedstock such as MSW into biofuels provides the aviation industry with an excellent opportunity to reduce its carbon footprint. Large cities with busy airports and decreasing landfill space are ideal areas for us to offer this solution."..Read More »

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6. ALTER NRG CLOSES \$46-MILLION BOUGHT-DEAL FINANCING

Alter NRG Corp. closed on its previously announced bought-deal financing of 10.4 million shares at an Issue price of \$4.40 per each (including the full exercise of the overallotment option) for total gross proceeds of about \$46 million through a syndicate of underwriters, led by Raymond James Ltd., and including Wellington West Capital Markets Inc., Canaccord Capital Corp., Paradigm Capital Inc., Blackmont Capital Inc. and Genuity Capital Markets. Net proceeds of the financing are to be used for project development and general working capital purposes. Potential projects include among others, the St. Lucie waste-to-energy project. The issued shares are subject to the customary hold period which will expire on Aug. 4, 2008...Read More *

7. GEORGIA POWER STRIKES ANOTHER DEAL FOR POWER FROM LANDFILL WASTE

Georgia Power recently signed another deal to purchase power from landfill waste. The 10-year contract with Waste To Energy Cedar Grove LLC is for electricity generated through gasification, a process whereby waste is heated in an oxygen-deprived environment which converts it into a synthetic gas and recyclable inert material. Georgia Power will buy 100 percent of the Cedar Grove plant's capacity, which will produce six megawatts of renewable energy annually with plans to expand to 18 megawatts within the year. Waste will come from the Lamar County Regional Landfill in Barnesville, GA. Georgia Power's energy portfolio now has contracts with seven qualified biomass and renewable facilities in Georgia that will generate 136 megawatts of capacity...Read More *

8. REPUBLIC SERVICES TO RELEASE FIRST QUARTER AND HOST CONFERENCE CALL ON APRIL 24

Republic Services will announce first quarter earnings and host a conference call on Thursday, April 24, 2008 at 8:30 a.m. (EDT)...Read More »

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10. OSHKOSH APPOINTS CHRISTIAN TECCA MANAGING DIRECTOR, GEESINK NORBA GROUP

Oshkosh Corp. announced that it has appointed Christian Tecca as managing director of the Geesink Norba Group, the company's integrated European line of refuse collection and compaction equipment. Tecca was most recently president of Thomas & Betts of Richmond, VA where he managed the acquisition of Danaher Power Solutions, LLC...Read More »

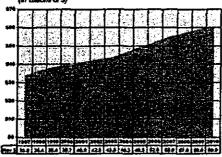
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From:

Tibbles, Michael A (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=MATIBBLES]

Sent:

Thursday, April 10, 2008 2:49 PM

To:

Sarah Palin

Subject:

FW: AS Lobbies USDOT FAA, DHS

FYI - DOT forwarded this story about Alaska Airlines' national lobbying efforts and feels there may be a chance the AK Journal of Commerce will write about in state lobbying activities.

Mike

----Original Message-----

From: Robert Stapleton [mailto:rob.stapleton@alaskajournal.com]

Sent: Tuesday, April 01, 2008 2:59 PM

To: Bustamante, Linda (DOT)

Subject: AS Lobbies USDOT FAA, DHS

Alaska Airlines Spent \$500,000 Lobbying Federal Government on FAA Funding in

2007

March 12, 2008: 03:53 PM EST

NEW YORK (Associated Press) - Alaska Airlines spent \$500,000 to lobby the federal government in 2007, according to a disclosure form.

The company lobbied on legislation dealing with funding for the Federal Aviation Administration and the retirement age for pilots, according to the form posted online Feb. 14 by the Senate's public records office.

The airline, which is owned by Seattle-based Alaska Air Group Inc., spent \$280,000 in the second half of 2007 to lobby on those issues.

The general aviation industry and commercial airlines disagree over how much each should have to pay for upgrading the nation's air traffic control system and other aviation programs. Congress last month approved a temporary measure to continue FAA funding through June, but the larger issue of reauthorizing the agency is unresolved.

The House passed a bill in September that would have increased the jet-fuel tax for

noncommercial planes, the aviation gasoline tax and the cap on fees airports charge passengers for capital improvements. Commercial airlines and the Bush administration say the bill does not fairly link fees to system use. The Senate is working on similar legislation.

Elsewhere, President Bush in December signed a bill to raise by five years the mandatory retirement age for airline pilots to 65.

Besides Congress, Alaska Airlines lobbied the departments of Homeland Security and Transportation.

Lobbyists are required to disclose activities that could influence members of the executive and legislative branches, under a federal law enacted in 1995.

From:

Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]

Sent:

Thursday, April 10, 2008 9:41 AM

To:

Sarah Palin

Subject: FW: FYI - Commissioner Schmidt

From: Schmidt, Joseph D (DOC) Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 9:16 AM

To: Mason, Janice L (GOV)

Subject:

Governor Palin, you are the best boss a person could have. Thank you for your support, and we'll make you proud.

Joe

From: McBride, Rhonda (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=RMFAUBION]

Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 6:29 PM

To: 'Sarah Palin'

Cc: 'kristine.perry@alaska.gov'; Bailey; Frank T (GOV); Jollie; Tara L (CED)

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Rhonda	 	

Thanks

From: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=SWLEIGHOW]

Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 10:55 AM

To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'

Cc: Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV); Mason; Janice L (GOV)

Subject: Channel 11

Governor-

Channel 11 (Andrea Gusty) is in town for the end of session. They would like a few minutes with you today to talk about how things are going. It will likely be very generic since they don't follow the session too closely. Russ can offer specifics on bill status if needed. Please let me know if you would like to fit this in today.

Sharon Leighow Deputy Press Secretary Deputy Communications Director

(907) 269-7450 Anchorage (907) 465-4031 Juneau (907) 240-7943 cell

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=GOVERNOR]

Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 3:32 PM

To: Spencer; Kari L (GOV)

Subject: FW: Budget

From: David Nicolai [mailto:david.nicolai@gmail.com]

Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 3:18 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Re: Budget

Hello

Thanks for your response. I'd just like to encourage the reader of this email to have her budget/finances person, or her cheif of staff to read it, if not the governor herself.

Thanks
David Nicolai
3831 Boek Circle
Anchorage, AK 99507
(907) 632-5027

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Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 11:57 AM To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Budget

Web mail from: Mr. David Nicolai

address: 3831 Boek Circle Anchorage AK 99507

907.632.5027

MESSAGE: Governor Palin Why isn't our budget surplus being used to fund a bid to host either a Summer or Winter Olympics?

This is Alaska. We are an obvious choice for a Winter Olympics.

For Summer Olympics, we have several ideal locations throughout the state. For example, Fairbanks often has temperatures in the 80s and 90s during the summer. Even an unsuccessful bid for Summer Olympics would help dispel some of the myths that our state is snow-covered year-round, and that we all live in igloos.

Hosting the Olympics would:

- -Bring jobs to the state in the form of construction of new infrastructure, and for staffing the Olympics itself
- -Bring more money to the state, in the form of federal aid for new infrastructure, and in the form of tourism dollars from spectators
- -Share Alaska with the world through media coverage, increasing our national and international standing.

Thanks
David Nicolai

david.nicolai@gmail.com

From:

Ruaro, Randall P (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=RPRUAROJ

Sent:

Thursday, April 10, 2008 8:21 AM

To:

'Sarah Palin'

Subject:

FW: Cruise ship rules

Follow Up Flag: Follow up Flag Status: Completed

Governor:

Good news on the proposed federal rule that could devastate the Alaska cruise industry and many of the Alaska owned businesses that depend on it. If Secretary Chertoff decides to go the other way from staff recommendations and include Alaska in the rule, our AG's office has been working on several legal issues Privileged or Personal Material

We will keep tracking this.

Randy

From: Larry Persily [mailto:lpersily@ALASKADC.org]

Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 5:59 AM

To: Branch, Dan N (LAW); Ruaro, Randall P (GOV); Katz, John W (GOV)

Subject: Cruise ship rules

Sen. Murkowski's office reports that the final decision on the proposed cruise ship rules is on Homeland Security Secretary Chertoff's desk, and that it looks very good for Alaska. The staff recommendation to the secretary is exclude Alaska from the rule interpretation.

Word could come any day now.

Larry

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Rhonda				

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Perry, Kristina Y (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=KYPERRY]

Sent: To: Thursday, April 10, 2008 8:49 AM Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored)

To: Subject:

RE: Undeliverable: Re: D.C.

Thanks, got it! What a great opportunity.

----Original Message----

From: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored)

Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 8:47 AM

To: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)

Subject: Fw: Undeliverable: Re: D.C.

---- Original Message -----

From: System Administrator

To: krisandclark@yahoo.com <krisandclark@yahoo.com>

Sent: Thu Apr 10 08:45:10 2008

Subject: Undeliverable: Re: D.C.

From:

Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored) [govpalin@alaska.gov] Thursday, April 10, 2008 5:16 PM Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)

Sent:

To: Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)

Subject:

Re: HB 326 passed Senate

Very good. I'll think of a cool bill signing for that one- maybe to plug in to one of the invitations Janice and Kris have recently received for speaking engagements. Thanks

---- Original Message -----

From: Kelly, Russell T (GOV)

To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV)

Sent: Thu Apr 10 16:53:47 2008

Subject: HB 326 passed Senate

HB 326 - the national guard/firefighter pay bill passed the Senate unanimously today. Next step is gov's signature.

Another one down...thanks to the good efforts of DMVA and DNR, etc.

From:

Fagerstrom, Erika (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=EFAGERSTROM]

Sent:

Thursday, April 10, 2008 4:51 PM 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'

To: Subject:

Little Gifts

Governor,

There are 8 little gift bags in my office; they have a sm. candle, potpourri and a choc. truffle in them. A larger bag is there too if you want something to put them in.

There's an inventory list on the freezer let me know if you need anything packed up to take with you. The quaill definitely needs to find a new home and get used real soon. :)

Thanks,

Erika

From:

Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent:

Thursday, April 10, 2008 4:48 PM

To: Subject: paulneva@acsalaska.net RE: Land_use

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Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 4:46 PM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Land use

Web mail from: Mr. Paul S. Renschen

address: 3193 Edby Rd. Fairbanks AK 99709

907 457 6640

MESSAGE:

According to the "News-Miner," the Board of Game has requested that the Amphitheater Mountains be made a "wildlife refuge." Please don't. I am neither a miner nor a hunter. I do frequently use that area for winter recreation. There is no need to turn the Amphitheater Mountains into a wildlife refuge. To do so would almost certainly curtail all other uses. The board of game is being narrow and parochial.

paulneva@acsalaska.net

From:

Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent: To: Subject: Thursday, April 10, 2008 2:11 PM 'dwayneandsteph@yahoo.com' RE: Military_and_Veterans_Affairs

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To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Military_and_Veterans_Affairs

Web mail from: Mr. Willie Stacey

address: 8530 East 4th Ave Anchorage AK 99505

(907) 222-6641

MESSAGE:

To Whom It May Concern:

My name is Willie D. Stacey of Bay Minette, Alabama. I am a soldier in the U.S. Army and am currently stationed at Fort Richardson, Alaska. I am writing this letter in reference to my military service and your assistance in furthering that service.

On June 30, 2007, I was a Specialist assigned to the 164th Military Police Company when an incident occurred that jeopardizes my military career. While attending a social function with a group of fellow soldiers in my unit, I became highly intoxicated. Members of our party chopped down a tree while yelling racially motivated terms and the incident was recorded on video by another member of the party. Later in the evening, while canoeing on a lake, the boat capsized and tragically a member of our party, Specialist Corey Burgess, succumbed to the extremely cold water drowned. A subsequent investigation by the Army found the video related to the incident. I have since received non-judicial punishment in the form of a field grade Article 15, reduction in grade/rank to E-1/private, reduction in pay, extra duty, bar to reenlistment, possible revocation of my security clearance, and because of my involvement I missed my unit's deployment to Iraq this past summer. Additionally, I live with t

he memory of watching my best friend and combat buddy's body be retrieved from the frigid lake in which he drowned.

I accept full responsibility for my actions the punishments I've received as a result. I

was wrong.

As previously mentioned, I am a military policeman. Prior to that event I'd served honorably in the Military Police Corps for 3 ½ years and upheld the highest standards set forth by my command. I am a combat veteran and a proven asset to the Military Police Corps and the Army. I've served in Afghanistan and received an Army Commendation Medal for heroism under fire. I've also received other medals for actions in combat and the training that I've given to soldiers. I've led four soldiers after being promoted to Specialist and was up for promotion to Sergeant.

I am currently married to my beautiful wife, Stephanie, and we have two daughters, Angel (6yrs) and Katelyn (5 months). My wife is a fully supportive military spouse and actively participates in activities promoting the Army lifestyle.

I am a good soldier who has made a major mistake for which I have been punished. I deeply regret the events of that night and the lapse of judgment that I displayed. Aside from my family, serving my country as a Military Policeman has been the greatest and most fulfilling experience in my life. I would like nothing more than to continue serving my country by reenlisting. I have definitely learned my lesson and feel strongly that I am a great asset to the Army and the Military Police Corps. Given my current rank and using my leadership abilities, I will assist in molding the newest members to the Army into trained warriors. Given my situation, I will offer guidance to young soldiers and share my experiences which can help prevent soldiers from making the same mistakes. If given the opportunity, I will demonstrate that I am a humbled and rehabilitated soldier who can effectively rebound from mistakes made.

I am asking for your assistance in lifting my bar to reenlistment so that I can attempt to right my wrongs. Should I be afforded the privilege to remain in the Military Police Corps, I will serve my country, the Army, and the Corps honorably and lead others in doing the same.

Sincerely,

Willie D. Stacey

dwayneandsteph@yahoo.com

From:

Sent:

gov.sarah@yahoo.com Thursday, April 10, 2008 1:03 PM Mason; Janice L (GOV) Perry; Kristina Y (GOV) Sched

To:

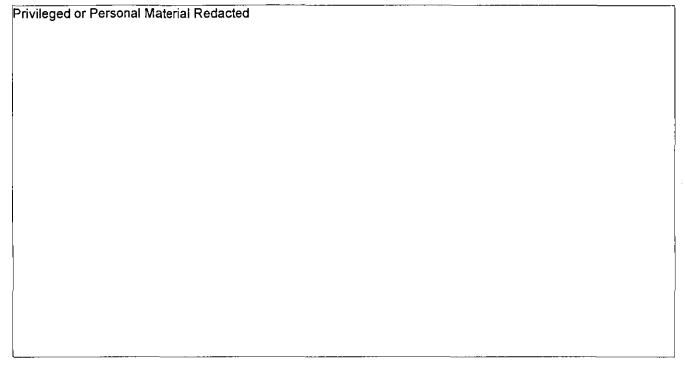
Cc: Subject:

Pls add to sched 8am today I met with Sen Wilken.

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

<gov.sarah@yahoo.com> [gov.sarah@yahoo.com] From: Thursday, April 10, 2008 12:38 PM Sent: To: M Nizich; John Katz Sam Bishop C¢: Re: Polar Bear Letter - PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL Subject: I agree. Thank you. Our lawmakers can pass resolutions, write letters pun en punt masse, etc. Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One ----Original Message----From: "John Katz" <jwkatz@ALASKADC.org> Date: Thu, 10 Apr 2008 16:00:21 .To: "Mike Nizich" < Mike.Nizich@alaska.gov> Cc: "Sam Bishop" <sbishop@ALASKADC.org>, "Governor Sarah Palin" <gov.sarah@yahoo.com> Subject: Polar Bear Letter - PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL

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Per your suggestion, I am copying the Governor on my response to = you.

Please note that my email address has = changed. My new email address = is <mailto:jwkatz@alaskadc.org> jwkatz@alaskadc.org. = Thank you .

From:

Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent:

Thursday, April 10, 2008 11:15 AM

To:

'haggin59@hotmail.com'

Subject:

RE: Health_Care

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Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 12:52 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Health_Care.

Web mail from: sara haggin-young

address: 11255 via balboa street anchorage AK 99515

907349-1031

MESSAGE:

hi governor, i am making baby baskets for sale and for the military wives, and i would like to deliver a baby basket to you, i've been told by the new moms the baby will only sleep in their baskets, and you can get some sleep, smile for the little bundle of joy.if you have any colors anything special, email me or call, i look forward to giving this to you, i am making these in memory of my grandson, jayvion's collections, hope to see you at sat's market or the fair. congradulation on job being well done. good luck.

haggin59@hotmail.com

From:

Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent:

Thursday, April 10, 2008 11:08 AM

To:

'jparktkd@gci.net'

Subject:

RE: Other

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]

Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 9:12 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Tom Sawyer

address: 3561 east tudor road #9 anchorage AK 99507

562-8419

MESSAGE:

Dear Gov. Palin:

Not long ago I wrote you a letter explaining how Tyler Sawyer was getting ready to compete for Alaska in Tae Kwon Do for a spot on US national team. The even was Alaska State championship on Fort Richardson. You could not able to make it and we understood that your schedule was very busy. Well, Tyler Sawyer have made the team and getting ready to take on the world representing US and Alaska. On April 26, at Jpark tournament at UAA Gym, he will be at the tourney. Could you find time to stop by and be our guest of honor and to recognize his accomplishment as an alaskan.

Please let me know if you could attend this event

Master Tom Sawyer

562-8419

jparktkd@gci.net

From:

Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent:

Thursday, April 10, 2008 11:05 AM

To:

'jvancil@gci.net'

Subject:

RE: Military_and_Veterans_Affairs

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Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 10:28 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Military_and_Veterans_Affairs

Web mail from: Mr. Jeremy Vancil

address: 12670 Schooner Dr Anchorage AK 99515

(907) 240-7909

MESSAGE:

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2nd Lieutenant Jeremy M. Vancil

249 AS Pilot

12670 Schooner Dr

Anchorage, AK 99515

The Honorable Sarah Palin

Governor of Alaska

P.O. Box 110001

Juneau, AK 99811-0001

Dear Governor Palin

I am writing to request your assistance. I have been a member of the Alaska Air National Guard since 1999. In 2005, after 6 years of service, I reenlisted in the Air National Guard and was awarded a re-enlistment bonus of \$7,500. As a condition of this bonus I could not accept a commission in the ANG within a year of my reenlistment. In March of 2006 I interviewed for, and received, an undergraduate pilot training slot, with the Alaska ANG, for FY 2008.

Because the 168th ARW was undermanned for pilots at the time, my UPT package was rushed and I was required to receive my commission in September 2006, rather than in FY 2007, as I was originally scheduled. This was 3 months before the deadline for keeping my reenlistment bonus. I have been instructed that the only way to not have to pay back this bonus is to have the United States Secretary of Defense excuse my repayment. I have sent the Secretary a number of letters since January of last year when I was notified of this situation, however I have not received any response from his office. I am writing to you, as my Commander in Chief, to see if there is anything that can be done so that I may avoid the financial hardship that will result from having to repay the initial bonus payment at this time. Thank you very much for your time.

Sincerely

//SIGNED//

Jeremy

M. Vancil, 2Lt, AKANG

jvancil@gci.net

From:

Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent:

Thursday, April 10, 2008 11:21 AM

To:

Smith; Lynne M (GOV)

Subject: FW: Alaska the New Energy base society

From: PAUL KENDALL [mailto:pauldkendall@yahoo.com]

Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 8:43 PM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored); Colberg, Talis J (LAW)

Subject: Alaska the New Energy base society

To. Governor Palin From: Paul D. Kendall

Date: 4-9-08

Please accept my opinions on Alaska, the Atlantis of Energy Alaska, Energy Genesis

Genesis, Alaska Energies

thought you all might enjoy these thoughts...

Paul D. Kendall

907-222-7882

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From:

gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Sent:

Thursday, April 10, 2008 9:05 AM

To: Subject: Ruaro; Randall P (GOV) Re: Cruise ship rules

Thank you

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

----Original Message----

From: "Ruaro, Randall P (GOV) " <randall.ruaro@alaska.gov>

Date: Thu, 10 Apr 2008 08:21:26

To:Sarah Palin <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Subject: FW: Cruise ship rules

Governor:

Good news on the proposed federal rule that could devastate the Alaska cruise industry and many of the Alaska owned businesses that depend on it. If Secretary Chertoff decides to go the other way from staff recommendations and include Alaska in the rule, our AG's office has been working on several legal issues Privileged or Personal Material Redacted Privileged or Personal Material Redacted

Randy

From: Larry Persily [mailto:lpersily@ALASKADC.org]

Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 5:59 AM

To: Branch, Dan N (LAW); Ruaro, Randall P (GOV); Katz, John W (GOV)

Subject: Cruise ship rules

Sen. Murkowski's office reports that the final decision on the proposed cruise ship rules

is on Homeland Security Secretary Chertoff's desk, and that it looks very good for Alaska. The staff recommendation to the secretary is exclude Alaska from the rule interpretation.

Word could come any day now.

Larry

From:

Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored) [govpalin@alaska.gov] Thursday, April 10, 2008 8:47 AM

Sent:

To: Subject: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV) Fw: Undeliverable: Re: D.C.

Attachments:

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---- Original Message -----

From: System Administrator

To: krisandclark@yahoo.com <krisandclark@yahoo.com>

Sent: Thu Apr 10 08:45:10 2008

Subject: Undeliverable: Re: D.C.

From:

gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Sent:

Thursday, April 10, 2008 5:42 AM

To: Cc: Colberg; Talis J (LAW) McBride; Rhonda (GOV)

Subject:

Re: Togiak

Thank you. I'm letting Rhonda know also.

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

----Original Message----

From: "Colberg, Talis J (LAW)" <talis.colberg@alaska.gov>

Date: Wed, 09 Apr 2008 14:05:17

To:gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: Togiak

Dear Governor Palin,

Yesterday the Traditional Tribal Council and Tribal Court of Togiak "banished" Togiak City Police Chief Aaron Parker from Togiak. They sent him a two page letter signed by several Tribal judges giving him thirty days notice to vacate town. Today we are sending him a letter stating we do not believe they have the authority to "banish" him. This is the latest round in what seems to be a slowly escalating feud. I will try to keep you posted. talis

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 11:16 AM

To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)

Subject: FW: Change in phone number

From: Ramon Whittaker [mailto:ramongwhittaker@yahoo.com]

Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 11:15 PM

To: Darrell Reyman; DOUG POLITO; Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored); jlracine@embarqmail.com

Subject: Change in phone number

Please notice the phone number change.

Thanks,

Yours in Christ,

Ramon Whittaker 4304 Jadestone Avenue Las Vegas, Nevada 89108

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From: Sent: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Wednesday, April 09, 2008 7:39 PM

To: Subject: Nizich; Michael A (GOV); Bailey; Frank T (GOV)

Re: Big Gama Commercial Services Board

Then I like him.

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

----Original Message----

From: "Nizich, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.nizich@alaska.gov>

Date: Wed, 09 Apr 2008 14:03:57

To: "Bailey, Frank T (GOV) " <frank.bailey@alaska.gov>,ExternalEmailgsp

<gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Subject: RE: Big Gama Commercial Services Board

He is not only a great guy but a traffic Guide. He took just about all the honors this year at the APHA banquet for all the record setting trophies he and his clients took this year.

----Original Message----

From: Bailey, Frank T (GOV)

Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 12:21 PM

To: Nizich, Michael A (GOV); ExternalEmailgsp

Subject: Re: Big Gama Commercial Services Board

Sure is.

His son Dan was trying to convince candidate Sarah into doing the survival suit races with him for crab fest in '06.

Fun stuff.

---- Original Message -----

From: Nizich, Michael A (GOV)

To: ExternalEmailgsp; Bailey, Frank T (GOV)

Sent: Wed Apr 09 11:36:54 2008

Subject: FW: Big Gama Commercial Services Board

FYI

Richard is a great guy!

From: Richard Rohrer [mailto:RRohrer@alaska.com]

Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2008 11:04 AM

To: Coghill, John (LAA); Buch, Bob (LAA); Crawford, Harry (LAA);

Dahlstrom, Nancy (LAA); Doogan, Mike (LAA); Edgmon, Bryce E (LAA);

Fairclough, Anna (LAA); Foster, Neal (LAA); Gara, Les (LAA); Gardner,

Berta (LAA); Gatto, Carl (LAA); Guttenberg, David (LAA); Harris, John

(LAA); Holmes, Lindsey (LAA); Ramras, Jay B (LAA); Kawasaki, Scott Jw

(LAA); Kelly, Mike (LAA); Kerttula, Beth (LAA); Ledoux, Gabrielle R

(LAA); Lynn, Bob (LAA); Meyer, Kevin G (LAA); Nelson, Mary (LAA); Joule,

Reggie (LAA); Salmon, Woodie W (LAA); Stoltze, Bill (LAA); Thomas, Bill

(LAA); Davis, Bettye J (LAA); Dyson, Fred (LAA); French, Hollis (LAA);

Hoffman, Lyman F (LAA); Kookesh, Albert (LAA); McGuire, Lesil L (LAA);

Olson, Donny (LAA); Stevens, Gary L (LAA); Wagoner, Tom (LAA);

Wielechowski, Bill (LAA); Wilken, Gary R (LAA); Therriault, Gene (LAA);

Thomas, Joe (LAA); Nizich, Michael A (GOV)

Subject: Big Gama Commercial Services Board

Dear Legislators,

I am contacting you to encourage your vote to confirm Brenda Rabner's appointment to the Big Game Commercial Services Board. At our recent board meeting in Fairbanks Brenda was seated beside me giving me an opportunity to interact with her about Guided. Sport and Subsistence hunting. I was impressed with how quickly she understood the issues the board was addressing and I believe she will bring a very valuable view to the board.

Some of you have no doubt heard how well the BGCSB members have worked together. Brenda Rabner will be a strong voice for the large Private Landowners in the State and also work well with the existing board members.

Please vote yes to confirm Brenda's appointment.

Thank You, Richard Rohrer (Dick)

Master Guide # 69

Member Big Game Commercial Services Board

From:

Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=GOVSP]

Sent:

Thursday, April 10, 2008 8:45 AM

To:

Kelly; Russell T (GOV)

Subject: Re: D.C.

Don't feel bad about this at all. Russ- if you and your family are feeling led to broaden your horizons, take on new challenges, and go through an open door that is there before you, then you are wise to seek confirmation on this and, then, to grab it!

You and Ellen are at a cool point in life where you're seeing new chapters unfold. If working together in DC for Alaska's benefit is appealing to you, I support you and it can be a very good thing for you and our state.

Thank you!

---- Original Message ----From: Kelly, Russell T (GOV) To: Palin, Sarah (GOV sponsored) Sent: Wed Apr 09 08:29:42 2008 Subject: D.C.

Governor,

I'm sorry for the mix-up. The D.C. discussion was supposed to occur after session. I was going to ask your permission, once the dust had settled...next week.

I apologize for not having brought it up before you heard from John. That was not my intention and I feel badly about it.

Russ

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 5:01 PM

To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)

Subject: FW: A Special Message from Governor Palin

From: usabarb4u@aol.com [mailto:usabarb4u@aol.com]

Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 5:00 PM **To:** Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Re: A Special Message from Governor Palin

Dear Sarah:

Thanks for an update on what is happening in Alaska. First time for me to receive anything from a Governor. I like being a part of the decisions. Also, since I saw your signature and I enjoy analyzing handwriting I thought I'd send my analysis of your signature. Keep in mind generally I require a bit more writing for accuracy, however, I'm sure you'll enjoy what I see in your signature, or I hope you enjoy it.

Sarah Palin Handwriting Analysis By: Barbara Pack O'Meara

Sarah came into the world so fast, at birth, she was like one rapidly sliding down a slide, and she nearly slid right onto the floor as she gasped her first breath!

Sarah was a devout student of reality. Her youth wasn't spent with fairy tale dreams, she carefully and maticuously remained focused on anything she did, including washing the dishes! At the age of sixteen she strolled along an avenue of desire filled with kisses that had no hope of capturing her heart. She remained ever faithful to her constant life of simply being focused and finding her niche' in life.

Unlike other teens, her social life never took precedence over her family life. Her heart remained determined to look into the mirror of her self and discover something greater than a night out with the girls and boys.

When she finally found Mr. Right, he took her on a trip to discover her self and she became amazed at how perfectly their shadows mingled with the light in their eyes. Love abound and captured their hearts.

Today, though her life flat lined at one point, Sarah doesn't look to the future for answers, she stares straight into the eyes of the citizens she represents and asks them what they think. Sarah Palin is one fine Governor bound for white marbled stairs that lead to determination's seat where changes are made to better life.

Thank you, Barbara O'Meara

----Original Message----

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) <governor@alaska.gov>

10/22/2009

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) <governor@alaska.gov> Sent: Thu, 10 Apr 2008 12:43 pm</governor@alaska.gov>
Subject: A Special Message from Governor Palin
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April 10, 2008
Dear Fellow Alaskan,
With just a few days left in the 25 th Alaska Legislature, the final actions taken by lawmakers will have a major impact on Alaska and Alaskans. HB 111, a critical bill which would lower the Business License Fee, is currently stalled.
The Alaska economy is blessed by people with an entrepreneurial spirit. Business leaders provide new ideas and develop innovative products and services. By investing in their businesses, small firm owners make a major contribution to our economy.
The original version of HB111 that I proposed would have returned the business license fee, which was increased to \$100 under the former administration, to \$25. The fee increase has caused a hardship for those who are helping grow our economy, especially people who operate home-based and part-time businesses.
The House Finance Committee amended the bill to set the fee at \$50 and it sailed through the House because it makes good business sense. HB 111 is currently stalled in the Senate Finance Committee. I urge you to contact your senator TODAY and let him or her know that HB111 is good for Alaskans, who should not be penalized for stimulating economic growth.
Until next time,
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Governor Sarah Palin
Get the MapQuest Toolbar, Maps, Traffic, Directions & More!

10/22/2009

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From:	Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent:	Thursday, April 10, 2008 10:10 AM
То:	Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Nizich; Michael A (GOV); Rehfeld; Karen J (GOV); Hughes; Rosanne (GOV sponsored); Leschper; Beth (GOV); Rintala; Jessalynn F (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Morgan; Katryn L (GOV); Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Rowland; Mindy B (GOV); Yocom; Lauren J (GOV)
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Governor Sarah Palin

From: Nizich, Michael A (GOV) [mike.nizich@alaska.gov]

Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 10:25 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Rehfeld; Karen J (GOV); Hughes; Rosanne (GOV sponsored); Leschper; Beth (GOV); Rintala; Jessalynn F (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Morgan; Katryn L (GOV); Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Rowland; Mindy B (GOV); Yocom; Lauren J

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Subject: RE: THIS IS A TEST-PLEASE LET BETH KNOW IF YOU HAVE CHANGES

Looks good please send to Michelle so she can ship it out.

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 10:10 AM

To: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Nizich, Michael A (GOV); Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV); Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored); Leschper, Beth (GOV); Rintala, Jessalynn F (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Morgan, Katryn L (GOV); Kelly, Russell T (GOV); Rowland, Mindy B (GOV); Yocom, Lauren J (GOV)

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Governor Sarah Palin

From:

McBride, Rhonda (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=RMFAUBION]

Sent:

Friday, April 11, 2008 10:08 AM

To:

'Sarah Palin'

Subject: From John Saxton's Seafood Blog

Finally, yet another study has shown that intake of omega-3 is vital for the development of vision and cognitive development in the final three months before a baby is born. A Quebec research study showed that babies born with higher levels of DHA, a component of Omega-3, in their umbilical cord blood had higher levels of visual and cognitive development in the first nine months of life. This is another reason why it is important for pregnant women to eat more seafood.

Rhonda McBride Rural Affairs Advisor Office of the Governor Atwood Building, Suite 1700 550 West 7th Avenue Anchorage, Alaska 99501

Tel: (907) 269-7451

E-Mail: Rhonda.McBride@alaska.gov

Leighow, Sharon W (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=SWLEIGHOW] From:

Friday, April 11, 2008 3:32 PM Sent:

To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'

Subject: ear

Governor-

Do you want me to have Sheila write anything about Privileged or Pers She hasn't asked – and I don't suspect she would.

Sharon Leighow Deputy Press Secretary Deputy Communications Director

(907) 269-7450 Anchorage (907) 465-4031 Juneau (907) 240-7943 cell

From: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=SWLEIGHOW]

Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 1:54 PM

To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'

Subject: organ donor?

Governor-

Alaska has reached a milestone. More than half of Alaska's residents are organ and tissue donors. We are the only state to achieve this milestone. I was going to write a quick press release thanking donors. Just checking to see if you are a donor – if so I was going to mention it.

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From: John Katz [jwkatz@ALASKADC.org]

Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 7:12 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin

Cc: Karen Rehfeld; Mike Nizich

Subject: Arctic Power/Funding - CONFIDENTIAL - ATTORNEY CLIENT PRIVILEGE

I understand that the House Finance Committee voted yesterday to double the appropriation for Arctic Power. It's not my business to intervene in State budget matters, but I thought that you might want to see the email below that I sent to Karen Rehfeld and Mike Nizich responding to an inquiry from Karen.

As you will note, Privileged or Personal Material Redacted

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I think that this is consistent with your previous position on this subject as I recall it from prior emails.

Please note that my email address has changed. My new email address is jwkatz@alaskadc.org. Thank you .

>>> On 4/10/2008 at 8:21 AM, in message <47FDCE0C.CD3B.0090.3@ALASKADC.org>, John Katz <jwkatz@ALASKADC.org> wrote:

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My understanding is that the Governor supports \$120,000, no more. Privileged or Pe
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From:

John Katz [jwkatz@ALASKADC.org]

Sent:

Friday, April 11, 2008 7:01 AM

To:

Mike Tibbles; gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Cc:

M Nizich; Aliison Nyholm; Larry Persily

Subject: Re: Larry Persily/DC Office - PERSONAL & CONFIDENTIAL

Thanks very much for your response. I want you to feel comfortable with everyone here.

So, I propose to go back to the drawing board for Allison's replacement. I will quietly try to determine Privileg previous support for administration policy and also look at other possible candidates. More to come.

Please note that my email address has changed. My new email address is jwkatz@alaskadc.org. Thank you .

>>> On 4/11/2008 at 10:24 AM, in message <1543071216-1207923853-cardhu_decombobulator_blackberry.rim.net-398531783-

@bxe014.bisx.prod.on.blackberry>, <gov.sarah@yahoo.com> wrote:

Larry - do you want an Anchorage-based administative job? Or Juneau? I love working with you, let me know what I can do to help whether you choose inside or outside this political arena! And congratulations on taking a bold step to open new doors. That's always good. Please don't hesitate to tell me what you ideally want to do, as long as I can do you more good than harm I will support, and

advocate for, your next adventure.

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Change is good. Thanks for keeping me in the loop. Make sure Allison knows (though it sounds like she's moving to another state) that she -just like Larry -would be welcome to continue serving Alaska in other capacities/areas.

Thanks John!

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

----Original Message-----

From: "John Katz" <jwkatz@ALASKADC.org>

Date: Fri, 11 Apr 2008 09:57:35

To:"Michael Tibbles" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>,"Governor Sarah Palin"

<gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Cc: "Mike Nizich" < Mike. Nizich@alaska.gov>, "Larry Persily"

<lpersily@ALASKADC.org>

Subject: Larry Persily/DC Office - PERSONAL & CONFIDENTIAL

Larry Persily has indicated his intention to return permanently to = Alaska sometime this summer. He is not enamored with the public = policy process in DC, particularly what Congress does and doesn't do, and = wants to involve himself directly in Alaska life.

He asked me to emphasize that his decision is not related to the = Palin administration or this office. Larry has been an invaluable = member of the DC staff and is a good friend and colleague of everyone = here.

My current thought is Privileged or Personal Material Redacted rivileged or Personal Mate	
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Change is always difficult, but I respect the decision of the = staffers leaving here to pursue their personal priorities. I believe = that our new people are capable to doing the same excellent work as = did their predecessors.

I would appreciate any thoughts you might have on the course of = action outlined here. I have copied Larry on this email so that he = can add any comments of his own.

Please note that my email address has = changed. My new email address = is <mailto:jwkatz@alaskadc.org> jwkatz@alaskadc.org. = Thank you .

Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON] From:

Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 10:47 AM

To: Sarah Palin; Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)

Subject: Yahoo having problems

We have been in touch with Yahoo and they are experiencing problems with their account. They have technicians working on it at this time. Janice

From: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=MATIBBLES]

Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 8:08 PM

To: Sarah Palin

Subject: update

Kevin Meyer and I went to talk to Bert and Lyman. Kevin has a nice sheet that shows big increases in Bert and Lyman's districts with the bond bill. A result that just adds more to already heavily funded districts. Bert and Lyman did not take the House's concern too seriously. It sounds as if Harris will send a stronger message here on their next break. He wants the Senate to reduce the amount.

Lyman tells me that he has spent a lot of time today working Hollis regarding the predator control bill. The bush caucus told him that it was a priority and he still is unwilling to schedule the bill. I asked him what would happen if an amendment was offered to another bill and he said that it would fail – they can not pull a bill from committee. Privileged or Personal Material R

We'll keep working these issues.

Mike

From: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

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From: John Katz [jwkatz@ALASKADC.org]

Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 6:02 AM

To: Michael Tibbles; Governor Sarah Palin

Cc: Mike Nizich; Larry Persily

Subject: Larry Persily/DC Office - PERSONAL & CONFIDENTIAL

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From: John Katz [jwkatz@ALASKADC.org]

Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 5:58 AM

To: Michael Tibbles; Governor Sarah Palin

Cc: Mike Nizich; Larry Persily

Subject: Larry Persily/DC Office - PERSONAL & CONFIDENTIAL

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krisandclark@yahoo.com

Sent:

Friday, April 11, 2008 11:28 PM

To:

Frye; Ivy J (DOA)

Cc:

gov.palin@yahoo.com; fek9wnr@yahoo.com; ftb907@yahoo.com

Subject:

RE: Fw: Sorry I missed a number SFC agenda Sat

Thanks Ivy. Got home tonight and had two messages from Ted about this. He's pretty excited and has been a big help.

Frye, Ivy J (DOA) wrote:

- > Fw: Sorry I missed a number SFC agenda Sat
- > Woo hoo biz license fee is scheduled in sen fin!!!
- > ---- Original Message -----
- > From: Louanne Christian <Louanne_Christian@legis.state.ak.us>
- > To: lhfcltc+senateschedule@legis.state.ak.us
- > <lhfcltc+senateschedule@legis.state.ak.us>
- > Sent: Fri Apr 11 18:19:30 2008
- > Subject: Sorry I missed a number SFC agenda Sat
- > HB 111-BUSINESS LICENSE FEE

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From:

gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Sent:

Friday, April 11, 2008 11:18 PM

To: Co: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Kelsey; Mark D (GOV)

Subject:

fek9wnr@alaska.gov Re: Schmidt/MEA

Thank you!

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

----Original Message-----

From: "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Date: Fri, 11 Apr 2008 22:50:03

To: "Kelsey, Mark D (GOV)" <mark.kelsey@alaska.gov>, gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Cc:fek9wnr@alaska.gov

Subject: Re: Schmidt/MEA

Thanks for your follow-up Mark...not surprising.

---- Original Message -----

From: Kelsey, Mark D (GOV)

To: ExternalEmailgsp

Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); fek9wnr@alaska.gov <fek9wnr@alaska.gov>

Sent: Fri Apr 11 22:40:38 2008

Subject: Schmidt/MEA

After playing phone tag all day, Joe Schmidt and I finally made a connection tonight. He said he had no contact with MEA about their request and confirmed that there is no urgency to get the work done. Dwayne Peeples, whom I spoke with earlier, said all the same things.

Mark D. Kelsey

Special Assistant to the Governor

Office of Gov. Sarah Palin

907.269.7450, Anchorage

From:

ftb907@vahoo.com

Sent:

Friday, April 11, 2008 10:46 PM

To: Cc:

krisandclark@yahoo.com

Subject:

Frye; Ivy J (DOA); gov.palin@yahoo.com; Todd Palin Re: Re: Sorry I missed a number SFC agenda Sat

Hilarious!

Reminds me of the Homer Library luncheon where Lt Gov Leman's lunch barely fetched \$200. and Candidate Palin's lunch fetched \$650 for the Library Foundation.

John and Nicole? Harris is married??

----Original Message----

From: "krisandclark@yahoo.com" <krisandclark@yahoo.com>

Date: Fri, 11 Apr 2008 23:39:07

To: "ftb907@yahoo.com" <ftb907@yahoo.com>

Cc: "ivy.frye@alaska.gov" <ivy.frye@alaska.gov>, "gov.palin@yahoo.com" <gov.palin@yahoo.com>, "fek9wnr@yahoo.com" <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>

Subject: RE: Re: Sorry I missed a number SFC agenda Sat

Clark and I were at a fundraiser tonight for Special Olympics and one of the auction items was a package trip to Fairbanks in the old Murkowski jet for 7, a stay at Pikes and lunch w/Binkley and his wife. It was secured by John and Nicole Harris. There was only one bidder and it was Nicole Harris. It was valued at \$4,000 and she got it for \$1,500. :)

ftb907@yahoo.com wrote:

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- > Date: Fri, 11 Apr 2008 18:21:00
- > To:gov.palin@yahoo.com, fek9wnr@yahoo.com,
- > ftb907@yahoo.com, krisandclark@yahoo.com
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ftb907@yahoo.com

Sent:

Friday, April 11, 2008 6:22 PM

To:

Frye; Ivy J (DOA); gov.palin@yahoo.com; Todd Palin; krisandclark@yahoo.com

Subject:

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Sent:

Friday, April 11, 2008 5:12 PM

To:

Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Todd

Cc:

Bailey; Frank T (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Frye; Ivy J (DOA)

Subject:

Re: the ear

Foster would be happy to talk about this if Shelia wants to chat with him, per Tibbles. Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

----Original Message----

From: "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

Date: Fri, 11 Apr 2008 16:45:40

To:gov.sarah@yahoo.com, Todd <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>

Cc: "Bailey, Frank T (GOV)" <frank.bailey@alaska.gov>, "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>, "Frye, Ivy J (DOA)" <ivy.frye@alaska.gov>

Subject: the ear

Okay-

I am pretty sure that the Foster fundraising stuff won't make it in the ear. If by chance it does - we will be in there refuting it. I reminded Sheila of the bill signing in Foster's office WITH HIS SON. I also told her that Todd called Foster in the hospital. told her that the thought of the governor refusing to do anything to help him is sick. She agreed.

What is definitely going to make it in this weekend is that fact that Tuckerman threatened Linda Menard! Sheila is not going to contact Tuckerman before it runs. And yes, I am smiling as I write this. J

Sharon Leighow

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From:	Hughes, Rosanne (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=RHUGHES]			
Sent:	Friday, April 11, 2008 4:14 PM			
To: Subject:	'gov.sarah@yahoo.com' Fw: Messaging end of session			
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Governor this is Mike N's input.				
Original Message				
From: Nizich, Michael A (GOV)				
To: Hughes, Rosanne (GOV); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV); Balash, Joseph R (GOV); Kelly, Russell T (GOV)				
Sent: Fri Apr 11 13:02:56 2008				
Subject: RE: Messagi	ng end of session			
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From: Hughes, Rosanne (GOV)				
Sent: Friday, April	11, 2008 12:17 PM			
To: Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Nizich, Michael A (GOV); Rehfeld, Karen J (GOV); Balash, Joseph R (GOV); Kelly, Russell T (GOV)				
Subject: Messaging -	- end of session			
As we're assisting the governor regarding her message tomorrow, please add your thoughts.				
Feel free to change/add/delete - need your input. Thx.				
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Rosanne Hughes

Press Secretary and Communications Director

465-3995

From:

Kelly, Russell T (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=RTKELLY]

Sent:

Friday, April 11, 2008 4:09 PM

To:

'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'; 'ftb907@yahoo.com'; Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Fagerstrom; Erika

(GOV); Mason; Janice L (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); 'fek9wnr@yahoo.com'

Cc:

Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Frye; Ivy J (GOV)

Subject:

Re: from Sheila Toomey

Spoke to Richard for about 20 mins just now. He's disgusted and said if someone had a concern they should come to him...and he'd tell them it was 85.

He said the gov has been great to him and she's probably the best gov we've ever had.

---- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

To: Frank Bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com>; Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Fagerstrom, Erika (GOV); Mason, Janice L (GOV); Tibbles, Michael A (GOV); Todd <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>

Cc: Kelly, Russell T (GOV); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Frye, Ivy J (DOA)

Sent: Fri Apr 11 15:33:57 2008

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Date: Fri, 11 Apr 2008 16:29:57

To:gov.sarah@yahoo.com, Sharon Leighow <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>, Erika Fagerstrom <erika.fagerstrom@alaska.gov>, Janice Mason <janice.mason@alaska.gov>, Mike Tibbles <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, Todd <fek9wnr@yahoo.com>

Cc:Russ Kelly <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>, Kris Perry <kris.perry@alaska.gov>, Ivy Frye
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From: "Leighow, Sha	ron W (GOV) " <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov></sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>			
Date: Fri, 11 Apr 2	008 15:31:54			
To:gov.sarah@yahoo.				
Subject: ear				
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Sent:

Friday, April 11, 2008 3:34 PM

To:

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Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Todd

Cc:

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From: Sent: To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com Friday, April 11, 2008 3:24 PM Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)

Subject:

Re: organ donor?

Read your presser on it, looks great, thank you!

Wonder where Shelia got that bs info on my "refusal" to host a Foster fundraiser? Let me know when you get my email in response to that one.

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

----Original Message----

From: "Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

Date: Fri, 11 Apr 2008 13:53:30

To:gov.sarah@yahoo.com Subject: organ donor?

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From:

gov.palin@yahoo.com

Sent:

Friday, April 11, 2008 2:48 PM

To:

Frank Bailey; Todd; Ivy personal; K Perry Yahoo; Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)

Subject:

Re: kbyr now

Oh man - so glad he grasps the significance of these bills. And if there were other taxes we found on Alaska's moms and pops we'd be proposing to eliminate them too.

-----Original Message-----

From: Frank Bailey

To: Todd

To: Sarah's Personal Email

To: Ivy personal

To: K Perry Yahoo

To: Sharon Leighow

Sent: Apr 11, 2008 2:46 PM

Subject: kbyr now

apparently he's ripping lyda a new one. saying holding up Biz License and Studded Tires "is all about vanity, self-preservation, and kicking republicans to the curb"

From:

gov.palin@yahoo.com

Sent:

Friday, April 11, 2008 2:27 PM

To:

Irwin; Tom E (DNR); Mason; Janice L (GOV)

Subject:

Re: Confidential. PT

Yes, I received that email, so asked Janice to contact you to set up that mtg where I'll be briefed on the PT findings. Thanks

----Original Message----

From: "Irwin, Tom E (DNR)" <tom.irwin@alaska.gov>

Date: Fri, 11 Apr 2008 14:24:19

To:gov.palin@yahoo.com

Subject: Confidential. PT

Governor, I sent an email two days ago that said Marty, Nan, and I would like to meet with you latter next week so we could update you on the status of the decision.

I would never let something like this go public until we had a chance to let you know. We have a great team and that means communicating with the team especially the boss!

Right now I am reading draft version 6. All have the same conclusion. Call anytime and I will share the last paragraph.

Janice said you could make a meeting a week from Monday in Anchorage. That would work great. God bless Tom

From:

gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Sent:

Friday, April 11, 2008 12:31 PM

To: Cc: Kelly; Russell T (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Rowland; Mindy B (GOV)

Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV)

Subject:

Pressure on Tires

Pls cont to put pressure on Kookesh and everyone else on tire tax repeal. Amazing that I have so few bills that were even introduced the past two years, and they're all good for AK, but even more amazing is that we're not succeeding with some of these even after giving up so much to the lawmakers. Seems a lot of actions have been one-way negotiations where they're winning their projects and bills, but we're still not getting the few and far-between requests I've had: tire tax, small business fees, CON, predator control, etc. Are we not pushing hard enough, but instead seeming to cave to their wants?

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From: Sent: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Friday, April 11, 2008 12:21 PM Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV)

To: Subject:

Re: Press Release

Thanks

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

----Original Message----

From: "Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored)" <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>

Date: Fri, 11 Apr 2008 08:54:32

To:ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Subject: RE: Press Release

Mike N. tells me I'm about ready to inherit his Blackberry, so you'll be able to get ahold of me without any problems within a day or two.

Rosanne Hughes

Press Secretary and Communications Director .

465-3995

----Original Message----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 8:31 AM

To: Hughes, Rosanne (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Re: Press Release

This was done differently, involving students - so maybe this will be considered differently, and can credit the student government participants.

-----Original Message-----

From: Rosanne Hughes

To: Governor Sarah Palin

Sent: Apr 11, 2008 8:20 AM

Subject: Press Release

Governor,

Regarding yesterday's event -- we were going to send out a presser this morning to get better media coverage. Need to see Andy's photos - we can attach some. Will get it to you in 15-20 minutes.

Sharon tells me we haven't been getting much media coverage out of pressers on bill signings unless it's something pretty big. We got a bit of coverage out of the revenue sharing release, for example.

Rosanne Hughes

Press Secretary and Communications Director 465-3995

Sent from my BlackBerry(r) device from Cellular One

From:

Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent: To: Friday, April 11, 2008 11:53 AM Leighow; Sharon W (GOV) Leschper, Beth (GOV)

Cc: Subject:

FW: Other

----Original Message----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]

Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 8:53 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Michelle Mitchell

address: 3015 Seawind Drive Anchorage AK 99516

907 279-0032

MESSAGE:

Late last month I wrote to request an interview with Governor Palin about the upcoming birth of her fifth child for my blog, Scribbit: Motherhood in Alaska.

Yesterday the Wall Street Journal published a list of the Top Motherhood Blogs and I was listed as number five.

Here is the link to the article:

http://online.wsj.com/article/SB120778656388403417.html?mod=psp_editors_picks

I know my audience would love to hear the Governor's views on motherhood in Alaska--could I please have a few moments of her time for some questions?

Sincerely,

Michelle Mitchell

see Scribbit at www.scribbit.blogspot.com

scribbit@gmail.com

From: Sent: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Sent: To: Subject: Friday, April 11, 2008 11:45 AM Rowland; Mindy B (GOV)

Fw: Wilachowski's aide (sp?)

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----Original Message----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Fri, 11 Apr 2008 19:41:16

To: "Russ Kelly" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>, "Mike Tibbles" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>

Subject: Wilachowski's aide (sp?)

just told house finance that I DO support her testimony on on-line checkbook. What specifically did I support, according to her testimony in answer to Rep. Kelly's questions?

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

From: Sarah Palin [gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 2:00 PM

To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)

Subject: Re: organ donor?

great idea.

and yes, i just double-checked my driver's lic, I am an organ donor - and i know everyone of driving age in my family is also (I checked with Bristol and Todd, and i know Track is).

--- On Fri, 4/11/08, Leighow, Sharon W (GOV) <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov> wrote:

From: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV) < sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>

Subject: organ donor?
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Friday, April 11, 2008, 1:53 PM

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From:

Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent: To: Friday, April 11, 2008 10:37 AM 'lockhart@mtaonline.net'

Subject:

RE: Other

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

----Original Message----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]

Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 5:21 PM

To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)

Subject: Other

Web mail from: Linda Lockhart

address: HC 34 Box 2560 Wasilla AK 99654

907-892-8119

MESSAGE:

I understand you will be making an appearance at the re-dedication/open house at Curves in Big Lake on the 19th of April. Curves has had a dramatic impact on the women in this area and I am so glad to hear you are lending your support to this vital establishment.

I also like to invite you to support the Mid-Valley Senior Center on the same Saturday. The center is about a mile from Curves, and on that day the North Root Big Lake Gardeners will be hosting our Spring Gardening Symposium there from 9am until 5:30 pm. We currenly have a sold-out event (with many on a "stand-by" list) with a wide range of speakers, lunch and a silent auction. All proceeds from this event will benefit the Mid-Valley Senior Center. Last year we raised \$1800--and this year we expect to raise more than \$3000 for the center, I know you have a very full schedule, but we would love for you to join us any time for a brief appearance or come for lunch if possible.

Thank you for your consideration

(and doing a great job in Juneau)

Linda Lockhart

president, North Root Big Lake Gardeners

lockhart@mtaonline.net

From:

gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Sent:

Friday, April 11, 2008 10:23 AM

To:

Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Kelsey; Mark D (GOV)

Cc:

Todd

Subject:

Re: more MEA/capital budget stuff

Run it by Joe S too if MEA is using his prison as an excuse to bloat.

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

----Original Message----

From: "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Date: Fri, 11 Apr 2008 10:12:51

To: "Kelsey, Mark D (GOV)" <mark.kelsey@alaska.gov>,ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Cc:fek9wnr@yahoo.com

Subject: RE: more MEA/capital budget stuff

Thanks Mark! Good information.

The more help the better in going through this disappointingly bloated budget ... please give me your input on other projects you come across.

From: Kelsey, Mark D (GOV)

Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 10:06 AM

To: ExternalEmailgsp

Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); fek9wnr@yahoo.com

Subject: more MEA/capital budget stuff

Hi all:	
I noticed last night while going over the latest version of capital the wording on MEA's request had changed to include line extensions the prison. I think the amount was up, too, although I could be wronow.	budget projects that to Point McKenzie for ong. It's at \$25 million
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Not sure where we are on all of this, but I thought the information might be useful.

Mark

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Special Assistant to the Governor

Office of Gov. Sarah Palin

907.269.7450, Anchorage

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To: Cc:

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Subject:

Fw: Budget

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Fri, 11 Apr 2008 17:21:15

To: "Karen Rehfeld" <karen.rehfeld@alaska.gov>, "Mike Tibbles" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "Russ Kelly" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>, "Click Bishop" <clark.bishop@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Kris Perry" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>, "Sean Parnell" <sr.parnell@alaska.gov>

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Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]

Sent:

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To:

'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'; Leschper; Beth (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)

Cc:

Hughes; Rosanne (GOV sponsored)

Subject:

Re: Presser

I just forwarded to Roseanne. I will check with her in the office this a.m. Janice

Sent using BlackBerry

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Sent: Fri Apr 11 06:59:44 2008

Subject: Fw: Presser

Pls forward to Rosanne. For some reason her address isn't accepting my email from either one of my addresses. I need the Comm Dept to confirm a presser went out after yesterday's bill signing - along with any pics of the students at the ceremony taken by Andy.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Fri, 11 Apr 2008 14:57:10

To: "Rosanne Hughes" <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Beth Leschper" <beth.leschper@alaska.gov>, "Rhonda (GOV) McBride" <rhonda.mcbride@alaska.gov>, "Kris Perry" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Subject: Presser

Hi Rosanne- pls make sure we released a presser on yesterday's Silver Hand bill signing at the high school so all those students can get credit/recognition for a neat way to participate in the legislative process. Thanks. You have my notes re: what I ended up saying to the student government students about the bill's relevance to justice, fairness

and respect for Native culture.

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Cc:

Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Colberg; Talis J (LAW); Bishop; Samuel T (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y

(GOV); Kelly; Russell T (GOV)

Subject:

Re: Polar Bear/Public Relations Campaign - PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL-ATTORNEY

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Not necessarily. There are many things that seem to be popping up that I have had no clue about in this budget process, despite the endless meetings. Between the status of our legislative pieces in front of lawmakers and these budget adds, there's plenty to surprise me every day lately.

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I am sure we would have heard about the funding if it was going to be put in, we have heard from them on about everything else having to do with Polar Bears and ESA in general.

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Hopefully it's already out. I'll take it out if not.

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From:

gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Sent: To: Friday, April 11, 2008 8:31 AM Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV)

Subject:

Re: Press Release

This was done differently, involving students - so maybe this will be considered differently, and can credit the student government participants.

-----Original Message-----

From: Rosanne Hughes

To: Governor Sarah Palin

Sent: Apr 11, 2008 8:20 AM

Subject: Press Release

Governor,

Regarding yesterday's event -- we were going to send out a presser this morning to get better media coverage. Need to see Andy's photos - we can attach some. Will get it to you in 15-20 minutes.

Sharon tells me we haven't been getting much media coverage out of pressers on bill signings unless it's something pretty big. We got a bit of coverage out of the revenue sharing release, for example.

Rosanne Hughes

Press Secretary and Communications Director 465-3995

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

From: Sent: gov.sarah@yahoo.com Friday, April 11, 2008 8:30 AM

To:

Leighow: Sharon W (GOV); Mason; Janice L (GOV)

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Perhaps we can find out more from Rep. Harris and Senator Green what they have in mind \sim KIR

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The unexpended and unobligated balances, not to exceed \$2,000,000, of the appropriations made in sec. 1, ch. 28, SLA 2007, page 42, line 22 (Budget and Audit Committee - \$14,219,300); sec. 1, ch. 28 SLA 2007, page 42, line 28 (Legislative Council -\$30,201,500); and sec. 1, ch. 28, SLA 2007, page 43, line 6 (Legislative Operating Budget ~ \$9,682,300) are reappropriated to the Legislative Council for the Alaska Conference on State and Federal Responsibility Related to Economic Impacts of ESA Listings for the

fiscal years ending June 30, 2009, and June 30, 2010.
Perhaps we can find out more from Rep. Harris and Senator Green what they have in mind - KJR

Karen J. Rehfeld, Director
Office of Management & Budget
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Date: Fri, 11 Apr 2008 07:45:17

To: "Katz, John W (GOV)" <jwkatz@alaskadc.org>, "Nizich, Michael A (GOV)" <mike.nizich@alaska.gov>

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From:

gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Sent: To: Friday, April 11, 2008 7:31 AM Leighow; Sharon W (GOV) Mason; Janice L (GOV)

Cc: Subject:

Fw: Budget

Sharon- My emails arent reaching Rosanne. Would you make sure she gets this FYI on the budget?

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

----Original Message----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Fri, 11 Apr 2008 15:28:54

To: "Sharon Leighow" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>, "Rosanne Hughes" <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>

Subject: Fw: Budget

Fyi

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----Original Message----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Fri, 11 Apr 2008 15:27:58

To: "Mike Tibbles" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "Russ Kelly" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>, "Karen Rehfeld" <karen.rehfeld@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Kris Perry" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Subject: Budget

Yikes- it's frightening reading all the adds in the budget! I tell ya- the public will not stand for all this. And the construction industry and economy will not be able to handle all this. Prices will escalate because no road construction companies, especially, will have to compete for any work. Scares me to think of all the Outside workers that will head up here to tackle an over-heated economy, thanks to all govt spending.

We need to hustle on strategy to allow us to sensibly and fairly consider all items in this bloated budget. The sooner the better. And we'll need more people than we had last time as we pare it down. Our commissioners need to start looking at items that affect their depts and tell us asap what is absolutely necessary and what can be cut. Thanks

Also- what's the timeline for consideration of items, and deadline for vetoes?

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 7:00 AM To: Mason; Janice L (GOV) Fw: failure notice Subject: This won't send to Rosanne. Ugh. Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One ----Original Message----From: MAILER-DAEMON@yahoo.com Date: 11 Apr 2008 14:59:57 To:gov.sarah@yahoo.com Subject: failure notice Hi. This is the qmail-send program at yahoo.com. I'm afraid I wasn't able to deliver your message to the following addresses. This is a permanent error; I've given up. Sorry it didn't work out. <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>: 64.18.5.10 does not like recipient. Remote host said: 553 5.1.4 duplicate/ambiguous directory match: rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov Giving up on 64.18.5.10. --- Below this line is a copy of the message. Return-Path: <gov.sarah@yahoo.com> Received: (qmail 29428 invoked from network); 11 Apr 2008 14:59:56 -0000 DomainKey-Signature: a=rsa-shal; q=dns; c=nofws; s=s1024; d=yahoo.com; h=Received: X-YMail-OSG: X-Yahoo-Newman-Property: X-rim-org-msg-ref-id: Message-ID: Content-Transfer-Encoding:Reply-To:X-Priority:Sensitivity:Importance:To:Cc:Subject:From:Date:Content-Type:MIME-Version;

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Cc: "Rosanne Hughes" <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>

Subject: Fw: Presser

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Fri, 11 Apr 2008 14:59:44 +0000

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Sent:

Friday, April 11, 2008 7:00 AM

To:

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Cc:

Hughes; Rosanne (GOV sponsored)

Subject:

Fw: Presser

Pls forward to Rosanne. For some reason her address isn't accepting my email from either one of my addresses. I need the Comm Dept to confirm a presser went out after yesterday's bill signing - along with any pics of the students at the ceremony taken by Andy.

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----Original Message----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Fri, 11 Apr 2008 14:57:10

To: "Rosanne Hughes" < rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>

Cc: "Beth Leschper" <beth.leschper@alaska.gov>, "Rhonda (GOV) McBride" <rhonda.mcbride@alaska.gov>, "Kris Perry" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Subject: Presser

Hi Rosanne- pls make sure we released a presser on yesterday's Silver Hand bill signing at the high school so all those students can get credit/recognition for a neat way to participate in the legislative process. Thanks. You have my notes re: what I ended up saying to the student government students about the bill's relevance to justice, fairness and respect for Native culture.

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From:

<gov.sarah@yahoo.com> [gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: To: Friday, April 11, 2008 6:27 AM Mike Tibbles; John Katz

Cc:

M Nizich; Larry Persily

Subject:

Re: Larry Persily/DC Office - PERSONAL & CONFIDENTIAL

Larry - do you want an Anchorage-based administative job? Or Juneau? I love working with you, let me know what I can do to help whether you choose inside or outside this political arena! And congratulations on taking a bold step to open new doors. That's always good. Please don't hesitate to tell me what you ideally want to do, as long as I can do you more good than harm I will support, and advocate for, your next adventure.

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Change is good. Thanks for keeping me in the loop. Make sure Allison knows (though it sounds like she's moving to another state) that she -just like Larry - would be welcome to continue serving Alaska in other capacities/areas.

Thanks John!

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

----Original Message----

From: "John Katz" <jwkatz@ALASKADC.org>

Date: Fri, 11 Apr 2008 09:57:35

To: "Michael Tibbles" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "Governor Sarah Palin" <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Cc: "Mike Nizich" <Mike.Nizich@alaska.gov>, "Larry Persily" <lpersily@ALASKADC.org>

Subject: Larry Persily/DC Office - PERSONAL & CONFIDENTIAL

Larry Persily has indicated his intention to return permanently to = Alaska sometime this summer. He is not enamored with the public = policy process in DC, particularly what Congress does and doesn't do, and = wants to involve himself directly in Alaska life.

He asked me to emphasize that his decision is not related to the = Palin administration or this office. Larry has been an invaluable = member of the DC staff and is a good friend and colleague of everyone = here.

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Change is always difficult, but I respect the decision of the = staffers leaving here to pursue their personal priorities. I believe = that our new people are capable to doing the same excellent work as = did their predecessors.

I would appreciate any thoughts you might have on the course of = action outlined here. I have copied Larry on this email so that he = can add any comments of his own.

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Pt thomson

Pls ask Tom/Marty/Nan when they need the time to brief me on Pt Thomson action. Whenever and wherever they need me, I'll be there to hear their brief before it goes public. Sooner than later.

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 1:16 PM

To: Leighow: Sharon W (GOV)

Subject: FW: A Special Message from Governor Palin

Here is the message that went out to an email group of 22,940. The message went only to the business license holders email group. The list was originated through DCCED Business Licensing section. I did receive 1296 "undeliverable" responses.

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 12:43 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: A Special Message from Governor Palin



April 10, 2008

Dear Fellow Alaskan,

With just a few days left in the 25th Alaska Legislature, the final actions taken by lawmakers will have a major impact on Alaska and Alaskans. HB 111, a critical bill which would lower the Business License Fee, is currently stalled.

The Alaska economy is blessed by people with an entrepreneurial spirit. Business leaders provide new ideas and develop innovative products and services. By investing in their businesses, small firm owners make a major contribution to our economy.

The original version of HB111 that I proposed would have returned the business license fee, which was increased to \$100 under the former administration, to \$25. The fee increase has caused a hardship for those who are helping grow our economy, especially people who operate home-based and part-time businesses.

The House Finance Committee amended the bill to set the fee at \$50 and it sailed through the House because it makes good business sense. HB 111 is currently stalled in the Senate Finance Committee. I urge you to contact your senator TODAY and let him or her know that HB111 is good for Alaskans, who should not be penalized for stimulating economic growth.

Until next time.

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Governor Sarah Palin

From: frank bailey [ftb907@yahoo.com]

Sent: Friday, April 11, 2008 6:32 PM

To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)

Cc: Sarah Palin; Todd Palin; ivyfrye@yahoo.com; krisandclark@yahoo.com

Subject: Cowdery Chronicles - HB281

Another Ear item but I know its past your deadline. Cowdery was the ONLY vote against Bob Lynn's HB281 that passed the Senate 19-1. It had already passed the House 39-0. So out of 59 possible votes (Foster was out due medical for that vote)...Cowdery was the only Legislator to vote against it.

Funny, but I can't figure out why he'd be against revealing who gives him cash??

http://www.legis.state.ak.us/basis/get_bill_text.asp?hsid=HB0281G&session=25

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]

Sent:

Friday, April 11, 2008 10:41 AM

To:

Smith; Lynne M (GOV)

Subject: FW: April 2008 Chancellor's Report

From: Scott McCrea [mailto:marketing@uaf.edu]

Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2008 4:54 PM

To: marketing@uaf.edu

Subject: April 2008 Chancellor's Report

Greetings,

The April 2008 issue of Steve Jones' Chancellor's Report highlighting recent achievements and developments at UAF is now available for your review at http://www.uaf.edu/chancellor/report/index.html. The report is published five times a year and is included in the informational packets at each regular meeting of the UA Board of Regents.

If you have any trouble accessing these files, or would prefer a hard copy of the report, contact UAF Marketing and Communications at 907-474-6281 or via e-mail at marketing@uaf.edu.

Sincerely,

Scott McCrea, Director

UAF Marketing and Communications

From: Cayce, Sunny C (GOV) I/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE

GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=SCCAYCE]

Sent: Saturday, April 12, 2008 2:26 PM

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Subject: RE: A Special Message from Governor Palin

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Sent: Saturday, April 12, 2008 1:28 PM

To: Hughes; Rosanne (GOV); 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'; Nizich; Michael A (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A

(GOV)

Cc: Leschper; Beth (GOV)

Subject: Wesley Loy

Just spoke with Wesley Loy about the special message email. He is going to do a story on this later this afternoon. I let him know that it is government's job to inform Alaskans on issues that can have an impact on them. I reiterated that this is nothing new, previous administrations have done it, lawmakers send out newsletters, agencies send out newsletters to constituents etc etc. I asked him – what's the difference if the Governor holds a news conference or goes on a radio show to push what she feels is important? Wesley wants to ask Mike Nizich about what specific examples from previous administrations. He also wants to know if he can have access to the lists. He is going to call me later when he starts writing the email story. BTW- he admitted he was a hothead to Mike last night and apologized.

In the meantime- he is also working on a budget story for tomorrow and wants to know if anyone wants to comment.

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From:
                      gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent:
                      Saturday, April 12, 2008 11:14 PM
To:
                      Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV)
                      Re: Budget message
Subject:
Thank you! We're so happy you're here!
Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One
----Original Message----
From: "Hughes, Rosanne (GOV) " <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>
Date: Sat, 12 Apr 2008 21:56:51
To:gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Subject: Re: Budget message
Did I tell you how happy I am to work for you?
 ---- Original Message -----
From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
To: Hughes, Rosanne (GOV)
Sent: Sat Apr 12 21:54:56 2008
Subject: Re: Budget message
Right on and amen.
Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One
----Original Message----
From: "Hughes, Rosanne (GOV)" <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>
Date: Sat, 12 Apr 2008 21:54:26
To:gov.sarah@yahoo.com
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God knows the truth. -- that we're being falsely accused of having done something wrong. Defend us, Lord.

---- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

To: Hughes, Rosanne (GOV)

Sent: Sat Apr 12 21:28:12 2008

Subject: Re: Budget message

Ugh. Well, I'll be praying for justice even with this story. Thanks!

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

----Original Message----

From: "Hughes, Rosanne (GOV)" <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>

Date: Sat, 12 Apr 2008 21:27:32

To:gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: Re: Budget message

Yep. Bound and determined. He told us Huggins was the one saying we had done something wrong. I asked Wesley if he asked lawmakers if they do the same thing and of course he said no.

---- Original Message ----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

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Sent: Sat Apr 12 21:21:27 2008

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Shoot. Sorry! Is he still going to write on the email?

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----Original Message----

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To:gov.sarah@yahoo.com

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Well, our meeting with Wesley wasn't pretty. We tried. He seems bound and determined to screw us over. We'll give you the lowdown tomorrow. It was Tibbles, Nizich, Karen, Sharon and I and everyone did a great job. He's just a weird guy.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

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Sent: Sat Apr 12 17:30:28 2008

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Date: Sat, 12 Apr 2008 17:25:44

To:ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

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Sent:

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'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'; Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV); Kelly; Russell T (GOV)

Subject: final

To:

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